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SUMMARY OF POPULATION, DWELLINGS, &c. IN TASMANIA AS RECORDED AT
SUCCESSIVE CENSUSES SINCE 1901

PARTICULARS	DATE OF CENSUS					
	April, 1901	April, 1911	April, 1921	June, 1933	June, 1947	June, 1954
Area of State Square Miles	26,215	26,215	26,215	26,215	26,215	26,215
Population—						
Males No.	89,624	97,591	107,743	115,097	129,244	157,129
Females No.	82,851	93,620	106,037	112,502	127,834	151,623
Persons No.	172,475	191,211	213,780	227,599	257,078	308,752
Persons per Square Mile No.	6.58	7.29	8.15	8.68	9.81	11.78
Masculinity (Males per 100 Females) No.	108	104	102	102	101	104
Average Annual Increase since Previous Census—						
Males %	1.55	0.89	1.04	0.56	0.88	3.09
Females %	1.99	1.30	1.32	0.51	0.97	2.66
Persons %	1.76	1.09	1.18	0.53	0.92	2.87
Age Distribution of Population—						
Under 16 years No.	67,842	70,476	77,654	73,031	77,483	102,171
%	39.3	36.9	36.3	32.1	30.1	33.1
16 years and under 65 years No.	97,600	112,827	126,055	138,516	159,925	183,230
%	56.6	59.0	59.0	60.9	62.2	59.3
65 years and over No.	7,013	7,908	10,071	16,052	19,670	23,351
%	4.1	4.1	4.7	7.0	7.7	7.6
Dwellings (including Hotels, Boarding Houses, Flats, &c.)—						
Occupied No.	34,165	40,015	45,818	52,484	62,484	78,789
Unoccupied No.	2,187	2,077	2,934	2,421	2,351	5,288
Being Built No.	118	87	295	129	1,607	(a)
Total No.	36,470	42,179	49,047	55,034	66,442	(b) 84,077
Dwellings per Square Mile No.	1.39	1.61	1.87	2.10	2.53	(b) 3.21
Average Inmates per Occupied Dwelling No.	5.05	4.76	4.65	4.32	4.10	3.91
Occupied Private Dwellings According to—						
Class of Dwelling—						
Private House (including Share) No.	32,059 {	38,730	42,028	48,479	58,937	74,244
Flat (including Tenement) .. No.		220	2,404	2,831	2,525	3,403
Total No.		38,950	44,432	51,310	61,462	77,647
Material of Outer Walls—						
Brick No.	(c) 8,059 {	6,787	8,050	9,860	12,491	15,083
Stone No.		1,575	1,786	1,651	1,768	1,555
Concrete No.		78	274	411	1,064	2,703
Wood No.	(c) 23,653	28,948	32,689	37,743	43,396	54,370
Fibro-Cement No.	—	—	27	138	1,134	2,655
All Other (including Not Stated) No.	(c) 4,758	1,562	1,606	1,507	1,609	1,281
Nature of Occupancy—						
Owner No.	(a) {	15,848	16,851	20,404	28,377	38,436
Purchaser by Instalments .. No.		1,558	4,364	3,986	4,140	9,810
Tenant No.		19,457	19,037	22,734	26,077	26,991
Other Methods of Occupancy (incl. Not Stated) No.		2,087	4,180	4,186	2,868	2,410
Average Weekly Rent—			s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Wood (3 to 6 rooms)	(a) {	(a) {	9 11	12 3	16 4	27 6
Brick or Stone (3 to 6 rooms)			14 7	17 8	21 9	33 0
Distribution of Population—						
Metropolitan No.	(a) {	(a) {	52,361	60,406	76,534	95,206
%			24.6	26.6	29.9	31.0
Other Urban No.			55,644	56,781	74,816	108,128
%			26.1	25.1	29.2	35.0
Rural No.	(a) {	(a) {	105,123	109,763	105,025	104,768
%			49.3	48.3	40.9	34.0
Migratory No.			652	649	703	650
%						
Distribution of Occupied Dwellings—						
Metropolitan No.	(a) {	(a) {	11,173	14,066	18,199	24,472
%			24.4	26.8	29.1	31.1
Other Urban No.			11,566	12,844	17,959	27,918
%			25.2	24.5	28.8	35.4
Rural No.	(a) {	(a) {	23,079	25,574	26,326	26,399
%			50.4	48.7	42.1	33.5

(a) Not available.
(b) Excluding houses being built.
(c) Includes non-private and unoccupied dwellings and dwellings being built.

POPULATION AND VITAL, 1835 to 1955

Year	ESTIMATED POPULATION						RECORDED MIGRATION		VITAL		
	Total at 30th June	Mean: Year ended 30th June	Mean: Year ended 31st Dec.	Totals at 31st December			Number of		Number of		
				Persons	Males	Females	Arrivals	Depart- ures	Births	Deaths	Marriages
1835 ..	—	—	(a)	40,172	28,749	11,423	(a)	(a)	730	525	356
1840 ..	—	—	(a)	45,999	32,040	13,959	(a)	(a)	404	501	457
1845 ..	—	—	(a)	64,291	43,921	20,370	(a)	(a)	1,506	697	658
1850 ..	—	—	(a)	68,870	44,229	24,641	(a)	(a)	2,025	1,070	923
1855 ..	—	—	(a)	69,962	38,680	31,282	(a)	(a)	2,948	1,692	1,257
1860 ..	—	—	88,752	89,821	49,653	40,168	3,432	2,782	3,238	1,749	689
1865 ..	—	—	93,111	93,967	50,549	43,418	3,597	3,691	3,069	1,263	591
1870 (b)	—	—	100,038	100,886	53,517	47,369	5,982	5,936	3,054	1,404	670
1875 ..	—	—	104,000	103,739	54,678	49,061	6,535	8,083	3,105	2,079	689
1880 ..	—	—	113,648	114,790	60,568	54,222	10,411	10,034	3,739	1,832	840
1881 (b)	—	—	116,280	117,770	62,495	55,275	12,579	11,784	3,918	1,733	856
1882 ..	—	—	119,124	120,477	63,804	56,673	12,822	12,252	4,043	1,906	969
1883 ..	—	—	121,877	123,277	64,995	58,282	14,240	13,577	4,259	2,122	1,120
1884 ..	—	—	124,971	126,665	66,534	60,131	14,257	13,457	4,578	1,990	1,003
1885 ..	—	—	127,763	128,860	67,712	61,148	14,822	15,228	4,637	2,036	1,054
1886 ..	—	—	130,025	131,190	69,264	61,926	15,399	15,720	4,627	1,976	985
1887 ..	—	—	133,366	135,541	71,591	63,950	14,980	13,204	4,736	2,161	939
1888 ..	—	—	136,709	137,877	72,482	65,395	18,866	19,271	4,777	2,036	951
1889 ..	—	—	139,769	141,661	74,242	67,419	23,443	22,318	4,757	2,098	967
1890 ..	—	—	143,224	144,787	76,453	68,334	29,517	29,086	4,813	2,118	954
1891 (b)	—	—	147,969	151,150	79,938	71,212	27,315	23,689	4,971	2,234	988
1892 ..	—	—	150,681	150,212	79,753	70,459	23,744	27,578	4,965	2,069	995
1893 ..	—	—	150,304	150,396	78,780	71,616	18,089	21,049	5,216	2,072	848
1894 ..	—	—	151,451	152,506	79,285	73,221	17,009	17,813	4,852	1,938	847
1895 ..	—	—	153,701	154,895	80,485	74,410	18,767	19,357	4,790	1,811	846
1896 ..	—	—	157,096	159,296	82,685	76,611	19,076	17,377	4,603	1,901	864
1897 ..	—	—	161,629	163,962	85,152	78,810	20,735	18,806	4,684	1,947	1,052
1898 ..	—	—	166,200	168,437	88,186	80,251	24,074	21,820	4,580	2,359	1,097
1899 ..	—	—	170,400	172,362	90,337	82,025	24,959	23,504	4,674	2,204	1,147
1900 ..	—	—	172,631	172,900	89,763	83,137	23,056	25,479	4,864	1,903	1,332
1901 (b)	171,703	172,591	172,525	175,233	90,945	84,288	25,084	25,867	4,930	1,814	1,338
1902 ..	173,897	173,550	175,173	179,450	93,571	85,879	27,550	26,504	5,085	1,914	1,313
1903 ..	179,862	177,869	180,375	182,924	95,224	87,700	25,163	24,653	5,080	2,116	1,344
1904 ..	182,171	181,970	183,007	185,167	95,951	89,216	25,432	26,507	5,292	1,974	1,350
1905 ..	183,351	183,834	184,478	186,385	95,947	90,438	31,116	33,311	5,257	1,844	1,365
1906 ..	183,068	184,630	184,272	185,472	94,879	90,593	30,540	34,775	5,333	2,011	1,399
1907 ..	183,205	184,024	184,791	189,598	96,973	92,625	34,965	34,132	5,291	1,998	1,410
1908 ..	186,135	186,433	187,485	191,733	97,942	93,791	35,188	36,539	5,615	2,129	1,432
1909 ..	189,244	188,839	190,227	193,119	98,514	94,605	33,297	35,569	5,500	1,842	1,494
1910 ..	189,807	190,792	191,005	193,803	98,866	94,937	35,377	38,159	5,586	2,120	1,493
1911 (b)	188,570	190,825	190,120	192,925	98,101	94,824	41,503	45,891	5,437	1,927	1,477
1912 ..	189,105	189,880	190,768	195,927	100,423	95,504	46,669	47,463	5,853	2,057	1,506
1913 ..	192,903	192,433	194,361	199,675	102,695	96,980	45,883	45,890	5,886	2,131	1,620
1914 ..	194,443	195,668	196,041	198,703	101,171	97,532	42,647	47,718	6,017	1,918	1,543
1915 ..	195,319	196,320	196,238	197,536	98,653	98,883	39,767	44,764	5,845	2,015	1,600
1916 ..	193,600	195,303	194,265	195,603	95,995	99,608	41,361	46,880	5,642	2,056	1,433
1917 ..	192,590	193,700	194,177	198,005	96,928	101,077	35,924	37,130	5,376	1,768	1,138
1918 ..	197,242	196,144	198,193	202,843	100,089	102,754	37,639	36,279	5,280	1,802	1,131
1919 ..	204,425	200,727	204,959	209,867	106,352	103,515	23,804	19,898	5,310	2,192	1,513
1920 ..	209,333	208,599	210,350	212,752	107,259	105,493	34,829	35,648	5,740	2,036	1,999
1921 (b)	212,008	211,719	213,404	218,676	110,353	108,323	38,709	36,343	5,755	2,197	1,668
1922 ..	213,908	214,689	215,379	219,768	110,262	109,506	41,763	44,491	5,817	1,997	1,674
1923 ..	214,878	216,028	216,420	220,411	110,760	109,651	42,896	45,773	5,657	2,137	1,592
1924 ..	214,787	216,355	216,274	219,672	110,238	109,434	43,664	47,663	5,383	2,123	1,529
1925 ..	213,991	215,997	215,552	219,364	110,172	109,192	40,227	43,757	5,218	1,996	1,504
1926 ..	211,970	214,795	213,800	217,575	108,895	108,680	46,418	51,283	4,988	1,912	1,435
1927 ..	211,239	213,212	213,051	219,151	110,013	109,138	50,446	51,670	4,833	2,033	1,432
1928 ..	213,997	214,074	215,471	220,319	110,750	109,569	46,436	47,827	4,691	2,132	1,502
1929 ..	216,504	216,411	217,752	223,278	112,244	111,034	45,301	44,963	4,797	2,176	1,712
1930 ..	219,983	219,269	220,933	225,297	113,505	111,792	40,291	41,110	4,786	1,948	1,450
1931 ..	224,002	222,820	224,811	228,464	115,176	113,288	29,508	29,046	4,762	2,057	1,501
1932 ..	226,387	226,045	227,084	230,607	116,067	114,540	31,619	31,945	4,491	2,022	1,508
1933 (b)	c 227,599	227,927	228,450	232,175	116,922	115,253	37,244	38,102	4,553	2,192	1,629
1934 ..	228,081	229,105	229,289	231,638	117,043	114,595	38,747	41,535	4,470	2,345	1,678
1935 ..	228,988	229,339	229,867	233,423	118,124	115,299	42,470	42,912	4,456	2,353	1,875
1936 ..	230,104	230,689	231,426	235,773	119,038	116,735	49,478	49,452	4,581	2,387	2,073
1937 ..	233,203	232,651	234,463	239,570	121,136	118,434	52,514	51,468	4,841	2,225	2,042
1938 ..	234,827	235,628	236,328	242,119	122,427	119,692	58,113	58,315	4,907	2,288	2,082
1939 ..	237,419	237,637	238,845	243,256	123,194	120,062	59,330	60,893	5,004	2,426	2,264
1940 ..	240,191	240,023	241,134	244,002	123,650	120,352	51,672	53,644	4,994	2,387	2,476
1941 ..	239,677	241,009	240,389	242,135	122,153	119,982	49,348	53,865	5,206	2,575	2,150
1942 ..	240,913	240,358	241,087	242,437	122,440	119,997	42,463	44,834	5,305	2,430	2,431
1943 ..	242,561	241,704	242,860	244,253	123,067	121,186	20,152	21,272	5,597	2,527	2,102
1944 ..	245,616	244,178	245,618	246,889	124,293	122,596	(a)	(a)	5,200	2,494	1,935
1945 ..	248,633	246,971	248,596	250,280	125,854	124,426	(a)	(a)	5,785	2,413	1,868
1946 ..	251,998	250,309	252,192	254,570	128,007	126,563	24	159	6,847	2,549	2,650
1947 (b)	c 257,078	254,553	257,636	267,936	135,195	132,741	49,920	40,833	7,140	2,363	2,584
1948 ..	261,206	261,202	263,445	273,401	138,843	134,558	112,666	110,490	6,979	2,528	2,428
1949 ..	267,062	266,518	270,327	281,343	143,433	137,910	117,614	113,232	7,110	2,389	2,422
1950 ..	275,902	274,493	278,785	290,333	147,103	143,230	127,709	122,333	7,242	2,466	2,560
1951 ..	286,193	283,526	288,294	301,787	153,721	148,066	137,341	129,514	7,357	2,567	2,607
1952 ..	296,299	293,340	298,361	309,558	157,702	151,856	130,583	126,979	7,916	2,579	2,553
1953 ..	304,080	302,529	306,318	316,465	161,305	155,160	127,484	125,812	7,736	2,551	2,424
1954 (b)	c 308,752	309,416	311,128	319,511	162,801	156,710	126,976	128,424	7,770	2,696	2,512
1955 ..	314,679	312,987	316,153	325,801	165,994	159,807	137,834	137,144	8,089	2,489	2,600

(a) Not available.

(b) Census year.

(c) Actual population at Census of 30th June.

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POPULATION AND VITAL, 1860 to 1955

Year	RATE PER 1,000 OF MEAN POPULATION			Natural Increase (Excess of Births over Deaths)	Net Migration (Excess of Arrivals over Departures)	Total Increase of Population	RATE PER 1,000 OF MEAN POPULATION			Deaths under One Year of Age	
	Births	Deaths	Marriages				Natural Increase	Net Migration	Total Increase of Population	Number	Rate per 1,000 live Births
1860 ..	36.48	19.71	7.76	1,489	650	2,139	16.78	7.32	24.10	(a)	(a)
1865 ..	32.96	13.56	6.35	1,806	—94	1,712	19.40	—1.00	18.40	(a)	(a)
1870 ..	30.53	14.03	6.70	1,650	46	1,696	16.50	0.46	16.96	298	97.58
1875 ..	29.86	19.99	6.83	1,026	—1,548	—522	9.87	—14.90	—5.03	407	131.08
1880 ..	32.90	16.12	7.39	1,907	377	2,284	16.78	3.32	20.10	420	112.33
1881 ..	33.69	14.90	7.36	2,185	795	2,980	18.79	6.84	25.63	405	103.37
1882 ..	33.94	16.00	8.13	2,137	570	2,707	17.94	4.78	22.72	419	103.64
1883 ..	34.95	17.41	9.19	2,137	663	2,800	17.53	5.44	22.97	528	123.97
1884 ..	36.63	15.92	8.03	2,588	800	3,388	20.71	6.40	27.11	457	99.83
1885 ..	36.29	15.94	8.25	2,601	—406	2,195	20.36	—3.18	17.18	522	112.57
1886 ..	35.59	15.20	7.58	2,651	—321	2,330	20.39	—2.47	17.92	485	104.82
1887 ..	35.51	16.20	7.04	2,575	1,776	4,351	19.31	13.32	32.63	478	100.93
1888 ..	34.94	14.89	6.96	2,741	—405	2,336	20.05	—2.96	17.09	460	96.29
1889 ..	34.03	15.01	6.92	2,659	1,125	3,784	19.02	8.05	27.07	506	106.37
1890 ..	33.60	14.79	6.66	2,695	431	3,126	18.82	3.01	21.83	508	105.55
1891 ..	33.59	15.10	6.68	2,737	3,626	6,363	18.50	24.51	43.01	470	94.55
1892 ..	32.95	13.73	6.60	2,896	—3,834	—938	19.22	—25.44	—6.22	492	99.09
1893 ..	34.70	13.79	5.64	3,144	—2,960	184	20.92	—19.69	1.23	546	104.68
1894 ..	32.04	12.80	5.59	2,914	—804	2,110	19.24	—5.31	13.93	438	90.27
1895 ..	31.16	11.78	5.50	2,979	—590	2,389	19.38	—3.84	15.54	391	81.63
1896 ..	29.30	12.10	5.50	2,702	1,699	4,401	17.20	10.82	28.02	410	89.07
1897 ..	28.98	12.05	6.51	2,737	1,929	4,666	16.93	11.93	28.86	411	87.75
1898 ..	27.56	14.19	6.60	2,221	2,254	4,475	13.36	13.56	26.92	531	115.94
1899 ..	27.43	12.93	6.73	2,470	1,455	3,925	14.50	8.54	23.04	543	116.17
1900 ..	28.18	11.02	7.72	2,961	—2,423	538	17.15	—14.04	3.11	389	79.98
1901 ..	28.58	10.51	7.76	3,116	—783	2,333	18.06	—4.54	13.52	439	89.05
1902 ..	29.03	10.93	7.50	3,171	1,046	4,217	18.10	5.97	24.07	402	79.06
1903 ..	28.16	11.73	7.45	2,964	510	3,474	16.43	2.83	19.26	563	110.83
1904 ..	28.92	10.79	7.38	3,318	—1,075	2,243	18.13	—5.87	12.26	480	90.70
1905 ..	28.50	10.00	7.40	3,413	—2,195	1,218	18.50	—11.90	6.60	424	80.65
1906 ..	28.94	10.91	7.59	3,322	—4,235	—913	18.03	—22.98	—4.95	487	91.32
1907 ..	28.63	10.81	7.63	3,293	833	4,126	17.82	4.51	22.33	439	82.97
1908 ..	29.95	11.36	7.64	3,486	—1,351	2,135	18.59	—7.21	11.38	422	75.16
1909 ..	28.91	9.68	7.85	3,658	—2,272	1,386	19.23	—11.94	7.29	357	64.91
1910 ..	29.25	11.10	7.82	3,466	—2,782	684	18.15	—14.57	3.58	568	101.68
1911 ..	28.60	10.14	7.77	3,510	—4,388	—878	18.46	—23.08	—4.62	399	73.39
1912 ..	30.68	10.78	7.89	3,796	—794	3,002	19.90	—4.16	15.74	391	66.80
1913 ..	30.28	10.96	8.34	3,755	—7	3,748	19.32	—0.04	19.28	416	70.68
1914 ..	30.69	9.78	7.87	4,099	—5,071	—972	20.91	—25.87	—4.96	430	71.46
1915 ..	29.79	10.27	8.15	3,830	—4,997	—1,167	19.52	—25.46	—5.94	423	72.37
1916 ..	29.04	10.58	7.38	3,586	—5,519	—1,933	18.46	—28.41	—9.95	423	74.97
1917 ..	27.69	9.11	5.86	3,608	—1,206	2,402	18.58	—6.21	12.37	281	52.27
1918 ..	26.64	9.09	5.71	3,478	1,360	4,838	17.55	6.86	24.41	321	60.80
1919 ..	25.91	10.68	7.38	3,118	3,906	7,024	15.21	19.06	34.27	345	64.97
1920 ..	27.29	9.68	9.50	3,704	—819	2,885	17.61	—3.89	13.72	376	65.51
1921 ..	26.97	10.30	7.82	3,558	2,366	5,924	16.67	11.09	27.76	449	78.02
1922 ..	27.01	9.27	7.77	3,820	—2,728	1,092	17.74	—12.67	5.07	324	55.70
1923 ..	26.14	9.87	7.36	3,520	—2,877	643	16.27	—13.29	2.98	325	57.45
1924 ..	24.89	9.82	7.07	3,260	—3,999	—739	15.07	—18.49	—3.42	296	54.99
1925 ..	24.21	9.26	6.98	3,222	—3,530	—308	14.95	—16.38	—1.43	288	55.19
1926 ..	23.33	8.94	6.71	3,076	—4,865	—1,789	14.39	—22.75	—8.36	233	46.71
1927 ..	22.68	9.54	6.72	2,800	—1,224	1,576	13.14	—5.75	7.39	256	52.97
1928 ..	21.77	9.89	6.97	2,559	—1,391	1,168	11.88	—6.46	5.42	300	60.47
1929 ..	22.03	9.99	7.86	2,621	338	2,959	12.04	1.55	13.59	255	53.16
1930 ..	21.66	8.82	6.56	2,838	—819	2,019	12.84	—3.71	9.13	242	50.56
1931 ..	21.18	9.15	6.68	2,705	462	3,167	12.03	2.06	14.09	219	45.90
1932 ..	19.78	8.90	6.64	2,469	—326	2,143	10.88	—1.44	9.44	185	41.19
1933 ..	19.93	9.60	7.13	2,361	—858	1,568	10.33	—3.76	6.89	187	41.07
1934 ..	19.50	10.23	7.32	2,125	—2,788	—537	9.27	—12.16	—2.30	189	42.28
1935 ..	19.39	10.24	8.16	2,103	—442	1,785	9.15	—1.92	7.70	231	51.84
1936 ..	19.79	10.31	8.96	2,194	26	2,350	9.48	0.11	10.10	227	49.55
1937 ..	20.65	9.49	8.71	2,616	1,046	3,797	11.16	4.46	16.10	202	41.73
1938 ..	20.76	9.68	8.81	2,619	—202	2,549	11.08	—0.85	10.60	195	39.74
1939 ..	20.95	10.16	9.48	2,578	b —1,563	c 1,137	10.79	—6.54	4.70	203	40.57
1940 ..	20.71	9.90	10.27	2,607	b —1,972	c 746	10.81	—8.18	3.10	176	35.24
1941 ..	21.66	10.71	8.94	2,631	b —4,517	c —1,867	10.94	—18.79	—7.70	255	48.98
1942 ..	22.00	10.08	10.08	2,875	b —2,371	c 302	11.93	—9.83	1.30	225	42.41
1943 ..	23.05	10.41	8.66	3,070	b —1,120	c 1,816	12.64	—4.61	7.50	227	40.56
1944 ..	21.17	10.15	7.88	2,706	b —5	c 2,636	11.02	—0.02	10.80	199	38.27
1945 ..	23.27	9.71	7.51	3,372	—	c 3,391	13.56	—	13.70	159	27.48
1946 ..	27.15	10.11	10.51	4,298	b —135	c 4,290	17.04	—0.54	17.10	207	30.23
1947 ..	27.71	9.17	10.03	4,777	b 9,087	c 13,366	18.54	35.27	51.88	195	27.31
1948 ..	26.49	9.60	9.22	4,451	2,176	c 5,465	16.90	8.26	20.75	193	27.65
1949 ..	26.30	8.84	8.96	4,721	4,382	c 7,942	17.46	16.21	29.38	170	23.91
1950 ..	25.96	8.85	9.18	4,776	5,376	c 8,990	17.13	19.28	32.25	172	23.75
1951 ..	25.52	8.93	9.04	4,790	7,827	c 11,454	16.61	27.15	39.73	196	26.64
1952 ..	26.53	8.64	8.56	5,337	3,604	c 7,771	17.89	12.08	26.05	172	21.73
1953 ..	25.25	8.33	7.91	5,185	2,888	c 6,907	16.93	9.43	22.55	177	22.88
1954 ..	24.97	8.66	8.10	5,074	—1,448	c 3,046	16.31	—4.65	9.79	186	23.94
1955 ..	25.59	7.87	8.22	5,600	690	6,290	17.71	2.18	19.89	189	23.37

(a) Not available.

(b) Disregarding troop movements, 1939 to 1947.

(c) Including allowance for inter-censal adjustment of population based upon differences disclosed between the estimated population and final 1947 and 1954 Census figures. The individual elements of the total increase of population (natural increase and net migration), shown in the two preceding columns, have not been separately adjusted.

NOTE: Minus sign (—) indicates a net loss.

WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVIL EMPLOYMENT—TASMANIA:
JULY 1939 TO JUNE 1956

Month	Total Employment (a) (excl. Rural, Household Domestic, and Defence Forces)			Total Employment in Main Industrial Groups						
	Government Authori- ties (b)	Private Employers	Total	Mining and Quarrying	Factories	Building and Construc- tion	Transport and Communi- cation	Retail Trade	Other Commerce and Finance	Profes- sional and Personal Service(c)

MALES

July, 1939	(d)	(d)	37,400	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)
July, 1941	10,182	28,381	38,563	2,902	12,284	4,264	5,600	3,042	2,900	4,060
July, 1942	10,136	27,254	37,390	2,570	12,876	3,763	5,478	2,451	2,469	3,683
June, 1943 (e) ..	10,720	26,105	36,825	2,609	13,977	3,051	5,817	2,266	2,486	3,062
June, 1944	10,178	27,750	37,928	2,864	14,365	2,823	5,923	2,244	2,782	3,117
August, 1945 (f) ..	10,690	29,154	39,844	2,784	14,055	3,462	6,573	2,381	3,273	3,267
June, 1946	12,034	34,893	46,927	2,807	15,240	5,604	7,032	3,035	4,105	4,365
June, 1947	13,469	37,600	51,069	2,749	15,910	6,929	7,661	3,316	4,659	4,973
June, 1948	14,328	40,194	54,522	2,690	16,879	7,811	8,169	3,420	4,906	5,533
June, 1949	15,613	40,582	56,195	2,715	18,070	8,877	7,746	3,405	5,030	5,548
June, 1950	16,779	41,601	58,380	2,757	18,365	9,370	8,243	3,474	5,164	5,734
June, 1951	18,774	41,431	60,205	2,758	18,059	10,263	8,471	3,466	5,350	5,846
June, 1952	18,863	42,082	60,945	2,890	17,878	10,300	8,743	3,486	5,497	5,976
June, 1953	19,452	42,223	61,675	3,189	17,962	10,700	8,444	3,569	5,558	6,034
June, 1954	20,029	42,767	62,796	3,061	18,799	10,400	8,685	3,566	5,697	6,186
June, 1955	21,170	42,828	63,998	3,035	19,015	10,400	9,134	3,629	5,970	6,217
June, 1956	20,229	44,188	64,417	3,052	20,217	8,800	9,565	3,629	6,137	6,514

FEMALES

July, 1939	(d)	(d)	11,600	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)
July, 1941	2,297	12,953	15,250	12	3,957	27	881	3,271	1,027	5,425
July, 1942	2,858	13,348	16,206	29	4,351	25	866	3,416	1,233	5,515
June, 1943 (e) ..	3,316	13,399	16,715	25	4,954	33	990	3,053	1,256	5,540
June, 1944	3,573	13,209	16,782	37	5,103	43	993	2,984	1,161	5,682
August, 1945 (f) ..	3,514	13,093	16,607	19	4,444	53	1,042	3,099	1,233	5,879
June, 1946	3,218	13,362	16,580	16	4,178	55	952	3,208	1,150	6,228
June, 1947	3,020	13,907	16,927	28	3,974	65	958	3,294	1,187	6,787
June, 1948	3,292	14,735	18,027	34	4,302	77	1,024	3,410	1,249	7,158
June, 1949	3,491	15,082	18,573	35	4,439	72	1,088	3,480	1,343	7,465
June, 1950	3,653	15,727	19,380	39	4,600	87	1,090	3,597	1,434	7,727
June, 1951	4,031	16,245	20,276	55	4,572	101	1,205	3,899	1,579	7,922
June, 1952	4,243	15,602	19,845	51	4,050	108	1,297	3,641	1,669	8,074
June, 1953	4,362	15,723	20,085	50	4,020	122	1,227	3,646	1,724	8,317
June, 1954	4,644	16,314	20,958	51	4,513	122	1,251	3,849	1,785	8,402
June, 1955	4,943	16,773	21,716	56	4,645	127	1,310	4,152	1,954	8,463
June, 1956	5,197	17,622	22,819	66	5,097	124	1,373	4,223	2,099	8,801

PERSONS

July, 1939	(d)	(d)	49,000	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)
July, 1941	12,479	41,334	53,813	2,914	16,241	4,291	6,481	6,313	3,927	9,485
July, 1942	12,994	40,602	53,596	2,599	17,227	3,788	6,344	5,867	3,702	9,198
June, 1943 (e) ..	14,036	39,504	53,540	2,634	18,931	3,084	6,807	5,319	3,742	8,602
June, 1944	13,751	40,959	54,710	2,901	19,468	2,866	6,916	5,228	3,943	8,799
August, 1945 (f) ..	14,204	42,247	56,451	2,803	18,499	3,515	7,615	5,480	4,506	9,146
June, 1946	15,252	48,255	63,507	2,823	19,418	5,659	7,984	6,243	5,255	10,593
June, 1947	16,489	51,507	67,996	2,777	19,884	6,994	8,619	6,610	5,846	11,760
June, 1948	17,620	54,929	72,549	2,724	21,181	7,888	9,193	6,830	6,155	12,691
June, 1949	19,104	55,664	74,768	2,750	22,509	8,949	8,834	6,885	6,373	13,013
June, 1950	20,432	57,328	77,760	2,796	22,965	9,457	9,333	7,071	6,598	13,461
June, 1951	22,805	57,676	80,481	2,813	22,631	10,364	9,676	7,365	6,929	13,768
June, 1952	23,106	57,684	80,790	2,941	21,928	10,408	10,040	7,127	7,166	14,050
June, 1953	23,814	57,946	81,760	3,239	21,982	10,822	9,671	7,215	7,282	14,351
June, 1954	24,673	59,081	83,754	3,112	23,312	10,522	9,936	7,415	7,482	14,588
June, 1955	26,113	59,601	85,714	3,091	23,660	10,527	10,444	7,781	7,924	14,680
June, 1956	25,426	61,810	87,236	3,118	25,314	8,924	10,938	7,852	8,236	15,315

(a) Based on Pay-roll Tax returns and records of Government employment; excludes Defence forces and National Service trainees in camp.
(b) Includes employees of Government Authorities (Commonwealth, State and Local) on services such as railways, tramways, banks, post-offices, air transport, education, police, public works, &c., as well as administrative employees.
(c) Includes education, health, hotels and restaurants, professional and personal services (except female private domestic).
(d) Not available on comparable basis; total obtained from National Register.
(e) Civilian Register.
(f) Last month of World War II.

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STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF TASMANIA

RETAIL PRICE INDEX NUMBERS AND BASIC WAGE

Year Ended December	" C " SERIES RETAIL PRICE INDEX (Base: Weighted Average, Six Capital Cities, 1923-27 = 1,000)						FEDERAL WEEKLY BASIC WAGE		
	Hobart					Australia (a)	As at Dates Indicated	Hobart	Australia (a)
	Food and Groceries	Rent (4 and 5 Roomed Houses)	Clothing	Miscel- laneous	Total " C " Series Index	Total " C " Series Index		Adult Males	Adult Males
1914 (b)	687	525	825	699	687	687	—	s. d.	s. d.
1915 (b)	858	571	833	770	776	782	—	(c)	(c)
1916 (b)	807	574	940	780	783	795	—		
1917 (b)	949	586	1,041	865	879	847	—		
1918 (b)	918	614	1,200	945	923	905	—		
1919 (b)	1,041	746	1,344	1,006	1,042	1,022	—		
1920 (b)	1,293	904	1,430	1,124	1,213	1,166	—		
1921 (b)	1,027	870	1,427	932	1,070	1,013	—	August, 1923 August, 1924 August, 1925 August, 1926 August, 1927 August, 1928 August, 1929 August, 1930	87 6 88 6 87 0 89 0 85 6 83 0 85 6 84 0
1922 (b)	962	832	1,256	931	997	975	—		
1923 ..	1,042	919	1,239	931	1,042	1,003	August, 1923		
1924 ..	1,034	974	1,236	933	1,051	987	August, 1924		
1925 ..	1,013	1,009	1,154	917	1,028	997	August, 1925		
1926 ..	1,045	996	1,149	905	1,035	1,011	August, 1926		
1927 ..	1,000	966	1,098	899	998	1,002	August, 1927		
1928 ..	966	939	1,095	904	980	1,009	August, 1928		
1929 ..	1,025	932	1,093	904	1,000	1,033	August, 1929		
1930 ..	952	914	1,044	900	956	975	August, 1930		
1931 ..	816	901	950	873	875	873	August, 1931	67 1	67 6
1932 ..	797	868	886	866	844	830	August, 1932	65 8	63 11
1933 ..	757	860	881	860	825	804	August, 1933	63 10	63 4
1934 ..	786	865	882	855	837	817	June, 1934	67 0	66 0
1935 ..	792	890	903	856	849	832	June, 1935	69 0	66 0
1936 ..	827	908	857	883	860	850	June, 1936	69 0	68 0
1937 ..	870	899	821	939	875	873	June, 1937	69 0	70 0
1938 ..	880	913	848	933	887	897	June, 1938	76 0	77 0
1939 ..	923	925	856	938	908	920	June, 1939	77 0	79 0
1940 ..	944	933	956	969	945	957	August, 1940	80 0	82 0
1941 ..	970	933	1,123	1,015	1,001	1,008	August, 1941	85 0	86 0
1942 ..	1,047	933	1,308	1,065	1,078	1,091	August, 1942	91 0	93 0
1943 ..	1,062	931	1,427	1,105	1,117	1,131	August, 1943	95 0	98 0
1944 ..	1,035	932	1,428	1,100	1,105	1,126	August, 1944	93 0	96 0
1945 ..	1,043	933	1,420	1,100	1,107	1,126	August, 1945	93 0	96 0
1946 ..	1,069	936	1,510	1,104	1,138	1,145	August, 1946	96 0	98 0
1947 ..	1,132	936	1,572	1,130	1,178	1,188	August, 1947	105 0	107 0
1948 ..	1,316	937	1,748	1,175	1,292	1,295	August, 1948	115 0	116 0
1949 ..	1,495	940	1,992	1,219	1,419	1,415	August, 1949	127 0	127 0
1950 ..	1,574	941	2,286	1,293	1,526	1,560	August, 1950	135 0	138 0
1951 ..	1,992	1,048	2,752	1,600	1,861	1,883	August, 1951	187 0	189 0
1952 ..	2,487	1,079	3,089	1,920	2,180	2,196	August, 1952	222 0	227 0
1953 ..	2,803	1,249	3,212	2,137	2,399	2,302	August, 1953	242 0	236 0
1954 ..	2,797	1,271	3,238	2,125	2,406	2,326	August, 1954	242 0	236 0
1955 ..	2,925	1,275	3,261	2,123	2,458	2,393	August, 1955	242 0	236 0
1956 ..	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	August, 1956 (e)	252 0	246 0

(a) Weighted average of six Capital Cities.
(b) Month of November.
(c) Details of basic wage paid for years prior to 1923 are not available on the same basis as those determined below.
(d) Not yet available.
(e) Comparable details under State Wages Boards' Awards as at that date were: Males, 272s. 0d. and Females, 204s. 0d.
In all previous years, the Federal rates shown above were commonly adopted by State Wages Boards in respect of Hobart.

AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF CHIEF ITEMS OF FOODSTUFFS—HOBART

Year			Bread	Flour (Ordinary)	Tea	Sugar	Jam	Pota- toes	Butter (Fac- tory)	Eggs (Fresh)	Bacon Rash- ers	Milk (Fresh)	Beef (Sir- loin)	Corned Beef (Bris- ket)	Mut- ton (Leg)	Mut- ton Chops (Loin)	Pork (Leg)
			2 lb.	2 lb.	lb.	lb.	1½ lb.	7 lb.	lb.	Doz.	lb.	Quart	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1901	..	..	d. 2.8	d. 2.7	d. 14.9	d. 2.5	d. 6.1	d. 5.2	d. 13.6	d. 13.1	d. 10.1	d. 4.1	d. 6.1	d. 5.0	d. 4.9	d. 5.7	d. 6.4
1902	..	..	2.9	2.7	14.9	2.6	6.1	4.9	14.1	14.3	10.2	4.1	6.9	5.4	5.4	6.1	6.2
1903	..	..	3.4	3.1	14.9	2.6	6.1	3.9	12.7	16.3	11.1	4.3	6.7	5.5	5.2	6.0	6.3
1904	..	..	3.0	2.6	14.9	2.5	6.3	3.1	10.8	13.2	9.4	4.3	6.5	5.1	5.4	5.8	6.2
1905	..	..	2.6	2.5	14.9	2.6	6.1	6.6	12.7	14.5	8.4	4.4	6.5	5.1	5.2	5.8	6.0
1906	..	..	2.9	2.3	14.9	2.5	6.1	8.3	12.6	16.0	8.6	4.4	6.4	5.0	5.3	5.8	6.1
1907	..	..	2.9	2.7	14.9	2.5	6.1	3.1	12.8	13.7	9.9	4.6	6.3	5.2	5.4	6.1	6.5
1908	..	..	3.3	2.9	14.9	2.5	6.1	4.0	14.9	15.4	10.8	4.4	6.4	5.1	5.2	5.8	6.3
1909	..	..	3.4	3.2	14.9	2.5	6.1	6.3	14.1	16.8	10.7	4.6	6.4	5.2	5.6	5.8	6.0
1910	..	..	3.3	3.0	14.9	2.6	6.4	6.1	13.9	13.0	10.4	4.6	6.4	5.0	5.5	5.8	6.5
1911	..	..	3.1	3.0	14.9	2.7	6.4	5.7	13.2	14.8	10.0	4.8	6.4	5.0	4.7	5.8	6.1
1912	..	..	3.5	3.0	15.4	3.0	6.4	7.9	16.2	17.6	10.7	5.0	6.8	5.1	5.6	6.3	6.5
1913	..	..	3.5	2.9	15.6	2.8	6.6	6.0	14.2	16.2	12.3	5.5	7.0	5.4	6.0	6.5	7.6
1914	..	..	3.5	3.1	15.6	2.7	6.6	6.2	15.2	16.4	12.5	5.9	7.3	5.7	6.7	7.1	7.9
1915	..	..	4.6	4.4	16.9	2.9	6.6	7.8	21.0	19.5	15.4	6.6	8.8	6.5	8.0	8.4	9.5
1916	..	..	3.8	3.3	17.3	3.5	7.3	8.1	19.1	17.8	16.9	5.8	10.6	9.1	9.8	10.6	11.7
1917	..	..	3.6	3.3	17.4	3.5	6.0	7.9	18.8	17.6	15.6	5.8	10.9	9.2	10.4	10.8	11.2
1918	..	..	4.0	3.5	17.4	3.5	7.8	7.8	19.7	18.7	15.8	6.0	11.8	10.5	10.6	11.4	12.0
1919	..	..	4.3	3.7	18.7	3.7	8.7	14.3	22.5	18.7	17.3	6.9	11.4	9.8	9.0	10.5	12.0
1920	..	..	5.5	5.2	26.7	5.4	12.3	13.1	29.3	26.9	22.7	8.6	13.1	11.0	11.0	12.2	16.2
1921	..	..	6.5	5.8	20.8	6.0	12.3	7.2	25.8	23.3	21.1	8.6	12.0	9.9	9.6	10.9	15.6
1922	..	..	5.4	4.0	20.5	5.7	13.0	9.0	20.5	21.2	16.1	7.7	10.8	8.7	8.9	9.9	12.3
1923	..	..	5.0	3.8	23.3	4.9	12.6	12.0	23.9	20.5	16.6	7.9	11.4	9.2	10.7	11.3	12.6
1924	..	..	5.2	4.2	25.0	4.5	12.0	10.2	20.1	20.4	18.5	7.5	11.8	9.3	11.7	12.6	14.0
1925	..	..	5.5	4.8	26.7	4.5	11.4	10.5	20.3	20.7	17.5	6.9	11.0	8.4	10.5	12.1	13.1
1926	..	..	5.5	4.7	26.2	4.5	10.6	14.0	23.1	20.0	17.9	8.0	11.0	8.5	9.6	11.3	13.1
1927	..	..	5.5	4.6	25.9	4.5	10.6	10.0	23.5	21.8	18.1	8.0	10.2	8.5	8.8	10.8	13.0
1928	..	..	5.50	4.50	26.58	4.50	10.10	7.39	22.73	18.54	17.83	8.0	10.00	8.04	7.97	10.56	12.45
1929	..	..	5.50	4.24	26.50	4.50	10.33	14.25	24.53	16.22	17.68	8.0	10.26	8.07	8.36	11.15	12.21
1930	..	..	5.19	3.83	25.89	4.50	9.91	9.38	21.18	17.74	17.15	7.78	10.24	8.37	7.89	10.51	11.82
1931	..	..	4.06	2.76	27.89	4.50	9.69	7.33	18.64	14.85	14.21	6.15	9.03	7.07	5.87	8.05	9.75
1932	..	..	3.95	2.99	24.62	4.50	11.46	8.51	17.25	15.60	13.66	5.18	8.40	8.32	5.68	7.63	9.56
1933	..	..	3.95	2.93	24.04	4.01	10.89	7.15	14.50	14.95	12.83	5.32	8.30	7.00	6.33	7.90	9.53
1934	..	..	3.94	2.77	27.85	4.04	10.24	8.72	15.74	15.11	12.66	5.49	8.66	8.23	7.16	8.35	9.87
1935	..	..	3.94	2.89	27.52	4.01	10.02	10.32	16.80	15.40	12.37	5.45	8.09	7.79	7.40	8.31	9.71
1936	..	..	4.48	3.14	27.40	4.00	9.75	9.02	16.32	18.49	12.17	5.39	8.18	7.91	8.45	9.07	9.91
1937	..	..	5.35	4.58	27.42	4.00	7.85	8.18	18.51	18.17	14.11	5.80	9.30	7.24	8.43	9.50	11.06
1938	..	..	5.21	3.98	27.13	4.00	7.69	10.55	19.58	18.50	15.06	6.02	9.12	7.48	8.37	9.30	11.43
1939	..	..	5.00	3.78	27.73	4.14	7.90	18.19	20.00	18.57	15.92	6.62	9.17	7.68	8.34	9.23	11.65
1940	..	..	5.46	4.19	30.66	4.00	8.49	11.86	20.00	19.28	16.96	6.63	10.08	8.20	8.88	9.65	12.43
1941	..	..	5.50	4.15	36.54	4.00	8.74	9.15	20.00	19.63	17.41	6.94	10.85	8.98	8.65	9.33	12.63
1942	..	..	5.50	4.10	41.78	4.00	9.26	16.79	20.83	23.17	19.06	7.21	11.69	8.83	9.26	10.16	13.92
1943	..	..	5.50	4.10	35.30	4.00	9.61	10.54	21.00	26.12	20.83	7.50	12.66	10.02	10.58	11.29	15.70
1944	..	..	5.50	4.23	27.09	4.00	9.71	8.40	21.00	26.10	21.00	7.50	12.38	10.02	10.39	10.61	14.21
1945	..	..	5.50	4.56	27.05	4.00	10.00	8.40	21.00	25.00	21.00	7.50	12.83	10.23	10.46	10.46	14.00
1946	..	..	5.50	4.55	27.05	4.00	10.00	8.40	21.00	25.33	21.00	7.50	13.38	10.89	11.49	11.46	14.15
1947	..	..	5.67	4.75	32.00	4.04	10.74	9.45	21.25	27.84	21.99	7.63	14.44	12.10	12.33	12.28	14.39
1948	..	..	6.75	5.66	33.00	4.50	12.83	11.94	25.25	36.08	27.48	8.83	16.56	13.89	14.22	14.31	16.61
1949	..	..	7.37	5.58	33.00	4.58	12.67	21.02	26.50	38.46	34.45	10.17	21.58	17.62	13.97	13.83	27.34
1950	..	..	7.96	5.64	36.50	5.00	14.45	21.18	26.50	40.16	39.16	11.42	21.53	17.48	14.21	13.83	32.23
1951	..	..	9.75	6.14	45.42	5.71	19.29	29.51	28.84	45.17	44.22	11.95	24.40	16.92	18.41	18.75	38.17
1952	..	..	11.42	8.04	47.50	7.79	28.23	34.85	43.98	63.45	58.63	17.25	33.13	27.02	27.94	24.68	43.56
1953	..	..	13.08	8.99	52.67	9.00	29.07	46.09	50.00	66.53	67.71	18.00	39.36	31.89	27.42	25.57	51.91
1954	..	..	14.00	10.58	64.05	9.00	28.62	28.53	50.00	63.58	70.05	18.00	41.94	32.87	26.39	22.45	56.88
1955	..	..	14.38	11.36	87.94	9.00	28.16	49.47	52.05	66.98	68.83	19.75	40.40	30.97	28.54	22.66	50.19

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF TASMANIA

PRODUCTION: LAND SETTLEMENT AND UTILIZATION

Year (a)	LAND SETTLEMENT (Area of State, 16,778,000 acres)				Year	LAND UTILIZATION ON RURAL HOLDINGS				
	Land		Crown Land			Area Under			Balance of Area	Total Area of Rural Holdings
	Alienated (a)	In process of alienation	Leased or Licensed	Other		Crop	Fallow	Sown Grasses		
	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres		Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres
1860 ..	3,069,315		(b)	(b)	1860-61..	152,860	(c)	(c)	(b)	(b)
1870 ..	3,806,301		(b)	(b)	1870-71..	157,410	(c)	(c)	(b)	(b)
1880 ..	4,232,870		(b)	(b)	1880-81..	140,788	26,442	(c)	(b)	(b)
1890 ..	4,695,022		723,452	11,359,526	1890-91..	157,376	21,467	201,060	(b)	(b)
1891 ..	4,729,498		742,811	11,305,691	1891-92..	168,121	25,342	208,596	(b)	(b)
1892 ..	4,762,977		756,473	11,258,550	1892-93..	179,396	52,551	217,905	(b)	(b)
1893 ..	4,785,172		700,767	11,292,061	1893-94..	191,951	23,888	216,296	(b)	(b)
1894 ..	4,807,070		509,462	11,461,468	1894-95..	214,857	21,834	221,470	(b)	(b)
1895 ..	4,766,644		668,102	11,343,254	1895-96..	212,703	24,241	221,970	(b)	(b)
1896 ..	4,766,276		773,077	11,238,647	1896-97..	227,413	24,795	253,306	3,428,070	3,933,584
1897 ..	4,768,901		891,244	11,117,855	1897-98..	242,241	31,199	226,095	3,688,932	4,188,467
1898 ..	4,777,640		992,585	11,007,775	1898-99..	258,242	34,926	238,799	3,816,463	4,348,430
1899 ..	4,801,266		1,040,701	10,936,033	1899-00..	225,126	29,665	288,777	3,943,939	4,487,507
1900 ..	4,834,994		1,267,185	10,675,821	1900-01..	224,352	29,619	306,180	4,372,885	4,933,036
1901 ..	4,621,585	272,376	1,520,983	10,363,056	1901-02..	232,550	26,712	314,422	4,502,324	5,076,008
1902 ..	4,658,878	296,672	1,518,895	10,303,555	1902-03..	246,923	29,316	319,090	4,471,914	5,067,243
1903 ..	4,685,521	354,892	1,582,286	10,155,301	1903-04..	259,611	38,267	343,284	4,565,858	5,207,020
1904 ..	4,724,380	444,441	1,389,643	10,219,536	1904-05..	226,228	34,636	378,346	4,490,721	5,129,931
1905 ..	4,740,710	598,243	1,304,861	10,134,186	1905-06..	230,237	35,217	404,653	4,336,813	5,006,920
1906 ..	4,768,701	710,837	1,343,381	9,955,081	1906-07..	244,744	34,020	432,128	4,385,104	5,095,996
1907 ..	4,805,697	796,725	1,432,917	9,742,661	1907-08..	257,028	33,548	465,673	4,388,852	5,145,101
1908 ..	4,848,058	870,088	1,505,774	9,554,080	1908-09..	269,346	33,728	491,422	4,601,521	5,396,017
1909 ..	4,890,000	1,006,642	1,447,497	9,433,861	1909-10..	274,026	40,013	439,450	4,649,129	5,402,618
1910 ..	4,932,276	1,104,379	1,460,523	9,280,822	1910-11..	286,920	27,299	493,233	4,573,519	5,380,971
1911 ..	4,965,331	1,274,947	1,518,710	9,019,012	1911-12..	270,000	34,311	505,940	4,842,232	5,652,483
1912 ..	5,005,175	1,310,728	1,642,352	8,819,745	1912-13..	286,065	34,267	508,714	4,948,087	5,777,133
1913 ..	5,051,112	1,290,705	1,691,558	8,744,625	1913-14..	264,140	42,959	605,559	5,110,483	6,023,141
1914 ..	5,085,868	1,248,844	1,826,805	8,616,483	1914-15..	274,474	40,537	647,602	5,148,861	6,111,474
1915 ..	5,125,197	1,225,952	1,939,905	8,486,946	1915-16..	333,334	34,975	675,335	5,154,277	6,197,921
1916 ..	5,179,865	1,244,014	1,954,585	8,399,536	1916-17..	270,526	37,091	654,072	5,358,811	6,320,500
1917 ..	5,155,511	1,184,061	1,790,022	8,648,406	1917-18..	238,199	34,212	679,512	5,316,766	6,268,689
1918 ..	5,197,283	1,122,797	1,832,416	8,625,504	1918-19..	254,109	32,840	666,954	5,356,712	6,310,615
1919 ..	5,241,292	1,054,111	2,003,661	8,478,936	1919-20..	270,955	32,868	667,390	5,511,540	6,482,753
1920 ..	5,241,856	963,915	2,273,612	8,298,617	1920-21..	297,383	37,322	660,000	5,437,585	6,432,290
1921 ..	5,259,066	920,206	2,423,876	8,174,852	1921-22..	293,708	44,118	781,000	5,286,254	6,405,080
1922 ..	5,326,825	880,410	2,457,620	8,113,145	1922-23..	298,611	46,134	857,581	5,196,648	6,398,974
1923 ..	5,407,937	798,043	2,419,736	8,152,284	1923-24..	279,122	55,430	799,443	5,300,553	6,434,548
1924 ..	5,490,734	729,861	2,399,102	8,158,303	1924-25..	263,872	51,414	866,331	5,277,522	6,459,139
1925 ..	5,546,357	700,000	2,416,503	8,115,140	1925-26..	266,412	48,290	821,807	5,313,707	6,450,216
1926 ..	5,594,934	645,000	2,862,192	7,675,874	1926-27..	289,364	53,159	791,210	5,379,373	6,513,106
1927 ..	5,631,096	616,083	3,809,836	6,720,985	1927-28..	296,875	51,100	782,136	5,525,763	6,655,874
1928 ..	5,662,595	587,656	4,369,479	6,158,270	1928-29..	273,152	56,653	766,741	5,536,743	6,633,289
1929 ..	5,698,697	560,070	2,817,535	7,701,698	1929-30..	265,317	52,902	733,307	5,495,762	6,547,288
1930 ..	5,721,259	541,653	2,772,097	7,742,991	1930-31..	267,632	53,821	754,754	5,483,147	6,559,354
1931 ..	5,739,827	516,795	2,655,179	7,866,199	1931-32..	247,353	54,637	647,309	5,542,928	6,492,227
1932 ..	5,759,420	500,471	2,611,235	7,906,874	1932-33..	279,117	49,490	646,834	5,619,262	6,594,703
1933 ..	5,774,481	487,373	2,622,315	7,893,831	1933-34..	288,390	44,343	671,728	5,670,583	6,675,044
1934 ..	5,803,915	468,011	2,704,066	7,802,008	1934-35..	292,000	47,083	719,025	5,754,869	6,812,977
1935 ..	5,826,838	455,922	2,726,820	7,768,420	1935-36..	242,189	49,256	722,388	5,916,969	6,930,802
1936 ..	5,845,608	442,074	2,653,864	7,836,454	1936-37..	263,251	45,060	751,556	5,791,134	6,851,001
1937 ..	5,860,594	437,720	2,754,337	7,725,349	1937-38..	255,260	49,051	761,824	5,688,726	6,754,861
1938 ..	5,878,009	433,285	2,694,187	7,772,519	1938-39..	243,048	53,269	761,814	5,720,070	6,778,201
1939 ..	5,892,564	433,325	2,660,922	7,791,189	1939-40..	258,038	53,756	768,729	5,698,219	6,778,742
1940 ..	5,911,593	422,586	2,713,790	7,730,031	1940-41..	253,941	52,536	773,022	5,587,237	6,666,736
1941 ..	5,931,231	416,440	2,789,734	7,640,595	1941-42..	281,359	46,636	786,320	5,676,303	6,790,618
1942 ..	5,958,103	402,969	2,750,125	7,666,803	1942-43..	300,099	(c)	(c)	(c)	6,525,965
1943 ..	5,975,699	399,757	2,816,711	7,585,833	1943-44..	334,932	(c)	(d) 405,994	(c)	6,393,319
1944 ..	5,996,649	416,023	2,801,857	7,563,471	1944-45..	342,916	(c)	406,645	(c)	6,510,348
1945 ..	6,026,542	406,732	2,774,280	7,570,446	1945-46..	327,188	(c)	579,460	(c)	6,478,893
1946 ..	6,048,520	397,292	2,742,544	7,589,644	1946-47..	303,223	(c)	567,879	(c)	6,400,994
1947 ..	6,079,706	388,208	2,718,354	7,591,732	1947-48..	277,238	(c)	550,338	(c)	6,183,476
1948 ..	6,110,902	376,949	2,685,521	7,604,628	1948-49..	275,747	(c)	661,483	(c)	6,123,308
1950 ..	6,143,313	365,096	2,802,189	7,467,402	1949-50..	291,425	57,161	760,054	5,302,165	6,410,805
1951 ..	6,167,907	359,248	2,668,998	7,581,847	1950-51..	302,454	64,573	795,550	5,313,094	6,475,671
1952 ..	6,213,444	350,977	2,736,976	7,476,603	1951-52..	305,973	58,433	807,104	5,266,605	6,438,115
1953 ..	6,238,642	344,401	2,744,390	7,450,567	1952-53..	320,806	64,273	806,703	5,367,288	6,559,070
1954 ..	6,262,004	338,289	2,607,838	7,569,869	1953-54..	351,597	60,468	830,773	5,268,259	6,511,097
1955 ..	6,287,918	331,434	2,516,725	7,641,923	1954-55..	325,903	66,763	897,707	5,313,484	6,603,857
1956 ..	(c)	311,776	2,496,242	(c)	1955-56..	339,765	74,945	987,633	5,226,020	6,628,363

(a) As at 31st December until 1948. For 1950 and following years, as at 30th June.

(b) Not available on a comparable basis.

(c) Not available.

(d) Not comparable with data for preceding years.

PRODUCTION — PRIMARY

Year	PRINCIPAL CROPS — SUMMARY, 1860 to 1955-56											
	BARLEY FOR GRAIN			OATS FOR GRAIN			WHEAT FOR GRAIN			BLUE PEAS		
	Area	Total Production	Yield per Acre	Area	Total Production	Yield per Acre	Area	Total Production	Yield per Acre	Area	Total Production	Yield per Acre
	Acres	Bushels (a)	Bushels (a)	Acres	Bushels (a)	Bushels (a)	Acres	Bushels (a)	Bushels (a)	Acres	Bushels (a)	Bushels (a)
1860 ..	6,238	126,605	20.30	30,303	926,418	30.57	66,450	1,415,896	21.31	—	—	—
1870 ..	7,617	161,729	21.23	30,946	691,250	22.34	57,382	896,881	15.63	—	—	—
1880 ..	8,297	169,156	20.39	19,853	439,446	22.14	50,022	750,040	14.99	—	—	—
1881 ..	4,597	102,475	22.29	27,535	783,129	28.44	51,757	977,365	18.88	—	—	—
1882 ..	3,229	89,739	27.79	28,849	788,713	27.34	46,721	946,889	20.27	—	—	—
1883 ..	3,205	81,962	25.57	23,160	634,354	27.39	41,301	732,718	17.74	—	—	—
1884 ..	5,646	167,036	29.58	28,956	829,611	28.65	34,091	654,638	19.20	—	—	—
1885 ..	6,833	176,466	25.83	29,247	784,325	26.82	30,266	524,353	17.32	—	—	—
1886 ..	2,749	61,585	22.40	21,607	560,622	25.95	35,322	632,573	17.91	—	—	—
1887 ..	3,766	52,240	13.87	21,169	385,195	18.20	40,498	675,069	16.67	—	—	—
1888 ..	4,670	109,979	23.55	33,834	946,354	27.97	40,657	819,497	20.16	—	—	—
1889 ..	4,446	105,574	23.75	40,169	1,148,935	28.60	49,055	756,639	15.42	—	—	—
1890 ..	4,376	99,842	22.82	20,740	519,395	25.04	32,452	642,980	19.81	—	—	—
1891 ..	2,650	71,686	27.05	28,360	876,573	30.91	47,584	937,680	19.71	—	—	—
1892 ..	3,929	80,205	20.41	22,976	631,746	27.50	58,897	1,018,550	17.29	—	—	—
1893 ..	4,876	110,174	22.60	33,755	837,720	24.82	55,312	833,771	15.07	—	—	—
1894 ..	8,167	202,625	24.81	34,385	927,875	26.98	52,028	872,000	16.76	—	—	—
1895 ..	6,178	138,833	22.47	32,699	906,934	27.74	64,652	1,164,855	18.02	—	—	—
1896 ..	3,988	74,790	18.75	44,768	971,996	21.71	74,516	1,286,330	17.26	—	—	—
1897 ..	4,097	69,992	17.08	38,166	1,102,285	28.88	85,905	1,668,341	19.42	—	—	—
1898 ..	5,693	184,225	32.36	59,509	2,271,070	38.16	85,287	2,303,512	27.01	—	—	—
1899 ..	7,606	142,721	18.76	45,110	1,148,160	25.45	64,328	1,101,303	17.12	—	—	—
1900 ..	4,502	116,911	25.97	45,073	1,406,913	31.21	51,825	1,110,421	21.43	—	—	—
1901 ..	6,104	167,485	27.44	54,089	1,702,659	31.48	44,084	963,662	21.86	—	—	—
1902 ..	8,281	201,133	24.29	55,058	1,752,745	31.83	40,898	876,971	21.44	—	—	—
1903 ..	8,084	212,459	26.28	60,663	1,621,950	26.74	49,414	767,398	15.53	—	—	—
1904 ..	7,646	163,194	21.34	43,690	1,178,819	26.98	43,091	792,956	18.40	—	—	—
1905 ..	5,372	106,042	19.74	42,776	1,200,024	28.05	41,319	776,478	18.79	—	—	—
1906 ..	5,328	141,895	26.63	58,320	1,979,574	33.94	32,808	651,408	19.86	—	—	—
1907 ..	5,852	149,186	25.49	54,625	1,526,002	27.94	30,794	644,235	20.92	—	—	—
1908 ..	6,474	158,645	24.50	56,654	1,946,010	34.35	29,102	700,777	24.08	—	—	—
1909 ..	6,293	153,654	24.42	71,293	2,347,548	32.93	37,078	793,660	21.41	—	—	—
1910 ..	5,235	142,318	27.19	63,887	2,063,303	32.30	52,242	1,120,744	21.45	—	—	—
1911 ..	6,081	148,009	24.34	57,583	1,504,633	26.13	37,208	659,615	17.73	—	—	—
1912 ..	8,802	265,908	30.21	62,445	2,257,258	36.15	25,226	630,315	24.99	—	—	—
1913 ..	7,723	187,484	24.28	58,886	1,593,664	27.06	18,432	349,736	18.97	(b)	(b)	(b)
1914-15	5,836	104,798	17.96	57,063	1,341,800	23.51	23,865	384,220	16.10	4,747	74,191	15.63
1915-16	5,409	115,523	21.36	78,212	2,189,467	27.99	48,642	993,790	20.43	3,642	61,889	16.99
1916-17	4,637	88,696	19.13	55,028	1,006,183	18.28	27,789	348,330	12.53	5,601	118,831	21.21
1917-18	5,185	98,013	18.90	34,771	589,224	16.95	21,812	252,383	11.57	11,164	205,164	18.38
1918-19	7,036	141,149	20.06	36,231	848,420	23.42	11,917	186,570	15.66	20,776	350,582	16.88
1919-20	6,293	120,516	19.15	48,185	1,242,258	25.78	11,497	213,589	18.58	12,504	168,613	13.48
1920-21	6,151	161,346	26.23	50,474	1,514,155	30.00	28,284	565,874	20.01	8,589	181,678	21.16
1921-22	7,241	166,960	23.06	54,642	1,543,617	28.25	27,985	577,178	20.62	10,333	191,503	18.99
1922-23	5,706	152,028	26.64	58,813	1,674,751	28.48	25,244	569,587	22.56	8,728	160,830	18.43
1923-24	4,230	94,634	22.37	51,460	1,359,785	26.42	14,503	305,628	21.07	7,232	159,670	22.08
1924-25	3,010	50,729	16.85	46,175	1,065,933	23.08	12,954	231,388	17.86	7,691	123,548	16.06
1925-26	5,223	90,619	17.35	36,741	835,473	22.74	19,091	395,603	20.72	8,214	106,220	12.93
1926-27	5,665	149,800	26.44	48,361	1,357,000	28.06	23,194	537,000	23.15	7,519	149,000	19.83
1927-28	5,101	141,407	27.72	42,950	1,399,824	32.59	29,448	773,142	26.25	9,073	206,884	22.80
1928-29	4,613	99,085	21.48	37,602	1,011,367	26.90	22,570	455,336	20.17	9,785	169,918	17.37
1929-30	6,935	166,984	24.08	39,061	1,175,041	30.08	16,805	375,849	22.37	10,124	221,584	21.89
1930-31	6,192	168,625	27.23	35,919	1,052,768	29.31	19,107	391,490	20.49	7,064	149,189	21.12
1931-32	8,377	119,725	14.29	18,412	356,847	19.38	11,722	182,913	15.61	6,026	76,386	12.68
1932-33	8,595	211,570	24.62	30,652	828,239	27.02	20,985	433,031	20.64	9,110	208,984	22.94
1933-34	7,840	172,267	21.97	31,199	854,239	27.38	24,097	560,665	23.27	13,994	242,219	17.31
1934-35	5,779	175,503	30.37	36,611	1,054,256	28.80	16,656	307,525	18.46	13,054	173,493	13.29
1935-36	5,227	92,714	17.74	23,928	556,776	23.27	10,404	186,014	17.88	10,172	126,016	12.39
1936-37	6,947	240,693	34.65	21,953	751,224	34.22	21,317	570,895	26.78	6,457	143,726	22.26
1937-38	9,296	306,164	32.94	32,439	1,032,173	31.82	21,081	526,007	24.95	4,651	99,446	21.38
1938-39	8,694	208,168	23.94	24,831	644,960	25.97	9,849	205,263	20.84	4,415	75,340	17.06
1939-40	7,723	195,643	25.33	23,110	529,415	22.91	7,495	107,719	14.37	5,222	125,197	23.97
1940-41	5,650	147,378	26.08	17,543	416,271	23.73	8,038	140,375	17.46	9,464	192,408	20.29
1941-42	5,319	117,584	22.11	27,287	838,605	30.73	6,414	145,191	22.64	18,495	310,539	16.79
1942-43	2,728	62,851	23.04	13,159	292,059	22.19	4,128	73,320	17.76	27,155	402,752	14.83
1943-44	3,436	94,616	27.54	9,744	299,086	30.69	4,839	122,141	25.24	37,500	580,000	15.47
1944-45	5,408	159,125	29.42	14,770	419,619	28.41	3,832	92,650	24.18	21,815	478,192	21.92
1945-46	6,746	123,338	18.28	13,976	281,618	20.15	4,982	66,637	13.38	23,278	291,061	12.50
1946-47	6,256	155,655	24.88	22,687	595,385	26.24	7,539	139,235	18.47	11,794	233,834	19.83
1947-48	8,149	218,288	26.79	17,076	360,156	21.09	7,776	118,207	15.20	6,878	144,681	20.71
1948-49	7,329	208,039	28.39	11,697	261,576	22.36	6,867	155,820	22.69	6,486	146,941	22.66
1949-50	4,346	130,892	30.12	22,812	577,442	25.31	5,473	127,294	23.26	7,662	145,303	18.96
1950-51	3,261	90,683	27.81	23,441	429,115	18.31	5,318	94,868	17.84	8,389	170,110	20.28
1951-52	4,241	149,613	35.28	26,539	594,181	22.39	3,603	94,028	26.10	7,605	196,123	25.79
1952-53	8,039	216,939	26.99	20,049	285,813	14.26	6,688	156,402	23.39	3,487	69,903	20.05
1953-54	9,436	296,479	31.42	20,118	460,949	22.91	9,690	263,296	27.17	5,335	113,766	21.32
1954-55	7,256	199,793	27.53	22,621	451,659	19.97	7,302	158,605	21.72	5,663	113,654	20.07
1955-56	6,310	190,904	30.21	28,675	548,039	19.11	6,224	128,686	20.67	5,768	135,579	23.51

(a) To convert bushels to lb. avoirdupois the following equivalents are used: Barley, 50 lb.; Oats, 40 lb.; Wheat and Blue Peas, 60 lb.
(b) Particulars for earlier years not available.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF TASMANIA

PRODUCTION — PRIMARY

PRINCIPAL CROPS — SUMMARY, 1860 to 1955-56 (continued)

Year	POTATOES			TURNIPS			HOPS			HAY		
	Area	Total Produc- tion	Yield per Acre	Area	Total Produc- tion	Yield per Acre	Area	Total Produc- tion (a)	Yield per Acre(a)	Area	Total Produc- tion	Yield per Acre
	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	lbs.	lbs.	Acres	Tons	Tons
1860 ..	7,621	33,589	4.41	1,216	5,829	4.79	(b)	(b)	(b)	31,827	62,318	1.96
1870 ..	9,823	36,028	3.41	1,352	8,342	6.71	642	746,820	1,163	33,612	40,763	1.21
1880 ..	10,421	32,548	3.12	1,323	6,199	4.67	568	644,273	1,134	31,615	35,883	1.13
1881 ..	9,670	33,565	3.47	1,855	12,865	6.95	586	668,846	1,144	34,790	44,957	1.29
1882 ..	9,681	37,526	3.88	2,835	23,272	8.21	666	1,101,243	1,654	38,043	49,513	1.30
1883 ..	9,601	34,509	3.59	1,970	11,578	5.87	734	811,364	1,105	41,414	53,421	1.29
1884 ..	9,037	39,503	4.37	3,342	25,058	7.49	694	940,631	1,355	44,735	55,587	1.24
1885 ..	11,073	53,521	4.83	3,680	30,913	8.40	647	768,660	1,188	41,693	51,872	1.24
1886 ..	16,084	75,773	4.71	4,203	38,357	9.12	577	633,462	1,098	47,269	50,178	1.06
1887 ..	16,394	42,526	2.59	1,985	7,351	3.70	564	567,442	1,007	44,562	50,901	1.14
1888 ..	13,653	66,721	4.89	4,420	33,273	7.53	558	749,660	1,348	52,521	58,290	1.11
1889 ..	17,015	72,275	4.25	2,576	20,326	7.89	536	685,031	1,278	50,913	73,859	1.45
1890 ..	20,133	73,158	3.63	2,142	14,596	6.81	373	432,630	1,160	45,381	52,021	1.15
1891 ..	16,393	63,100	3.85	2,887	21,225	7.35	469	624,726	1,332	45,445	67,164	1.48
1892 ..	16,535	60,245	3.64	3,154	23,285	7.38	460	377,885	822	46,070	53,544	1.16
1893 ..	19,068	76,769	4.03	3,580	25,729	7.19	478	594,917	1,245	47,500	54,889	1.16
1894 ..	23,415	90,810	3.88	3,094	28,565	9.23	533	522,450	981	61,373	80,227	1.31
1895 ..	19,247	81,423	4.23	4,255	35,198	8.27	515	543,650	1,056	54,748	62,345	1.14
1896 ..	21,651	72,241	3.34	3,945	(b)	(b)	599	596,772	996	47,798	44,344	0.93
1897 ..	22,357	49,124	2.20	3,106	29,307	9.71	542	774,514	1,429	57,828	78,849	1.36
1898 ..	20,241	88,166	4.36	4,857	58,653	12.08	533	601,496	1,129	49,277	82,448	1.67
1899 ..	26,951	101,670	3.77	3,350	29,052	8.67	651	589,793	906	42,492	51,123	1.20
1900 ..	23,068	93,862	4.07	4,743	38,731	8.17	624	696,679	1,116	61,541	94,198	1.53
1901 ..	25,444	114,704	4.51	4,341	35,692	8.00	599	650,940	1,087	61,495	109,383	1.78
1902 ..	34,625	163,518	4.72	4,596	47,916	10.43	665	808,903	1,217	66,038	89,210	1.35
1903 ..	29,160	171,298	5.87	4,564	62,720	13.74	639	864,604	1,353	66,947	115,513	1.73
1904 ..	25,948	110,547	4.26	4,674	48,921	10.47	729	911,686	1,250	55,545	73,457	1.32
1905 ..	28,346	64,606	2.26	2,961	23,332	7.81	831	988,332	1,148	64,350	90,077	1.40
1906 ..	34,305	182,323	5.31	4,087	45,649	11.17	921	1,356,330	1,455	64,965	104,797	1.61
1907 ..	38,640	145,483	3.77	5,025	36,413	7.24	1,007	1,402,198	1,387	73,859	98,406	1.33
1908 ..	35,159	121,605	3.46	3,675	38,168	10.38	955	1,334,106	1,396	88,613	137,518	1.55
1909 ..	21,375	73,862	3.46	4,714	36,056	7.20	944	1,176,176	1,229	77,804	118,746	1.53
1910 ..	26,230	70,090	2.67	3,743	48,463	12.94	1,039	1,775,276	1,709	72,992	115,190	1.58
1911 ..	21,818	62,164	2.85	2,923	33,389	11.42	1,029	1,057,976	1,028	77,466	107,684	1.39
1912 ..	24,612	72,565	2.95	2,876	22,757	7.91	1,247	1,920,583	1,540	99,839	183,709	1.84
1913 ..	30,811	80,389	2.61	2,913	13,457	4.62	1,353	1,553,937	1,149	84,138	112,958	1.34
1914-15	31,613	78,907	2.50	2,904	10,299	3.56	1,334	1,692,408	1,268	89,598	81,971	0.91
1915-16	29,491	79,890	2.71	3,850	19,277	5.01	1,348	2,031,396	1,507	103,216	168,449	1.63
1916-17	34,345	67,038	1.95	2,186	10,859	4.96	1,117	1,641,900	1,469	79,274	103,141	1.30
1917-18	27,309	70,442	2.58	2,062	9,830	4.75	1,176	2,006,581	1,706	74,107	80,405	1.08
1918-19	25,023	56,528	2.26	2,094	11,967	5.71	1,189	1,798,492	1,512	87,136	115,896	1.33
1919-20	28,511	66,225	2.32	1,973	7,215	3.66	1,237	1,384,973	1,120	102,908	143,053	1.39
1920-21	32,000	88,679	2.77	2,780	12,274	4.42	1,275	1,863,944	1,462	113,618	176,798	1.56
1921-22	36,795	107,624	2.92	2,600	14,555	5.60	1,413	2,194,218	1,553	91,443	136,991	1.50
1922-23	34,407	101,201	2.94	2,519	11,764	4.67	1,479	2,173,307	1,469	100,088	167,282	1.67
1923-24	37,040	99,936	2.70	3,681	18,987	5.16	1,493	2,292,906	1,536	97,183	144,298	1.48
1924-25	36,171	83,377	2.31	3,041	16,152	5.31	1,494	2,224,504	1,489	87,945	121,110	1.38
1925-26	33,190	67,341	2.03	3,542	16,431	4.64	1,193	1,743,183	1,461	92,595	114,920	1.24
1926-27	33,984	114,100	3.36	4,457	21,800	4.89	1,305	2,146,778	1,645	98,289	151,200	1.54
1927-28	44,359	138,837	3.13	4,340	27,723	6.39	1,270	2,467,355	1,943	85,769	124,924	1.46
1928-29	37,299	75,222	2.02	4,317	23,487	5.44	1,187	1,929,647	1,626	80,190	119,427	1.49
1929-30	33,722	91,137	2.70	4,575	25,125	5.49	1,167	1,923,410	1,648	80,153	119,800	1.49
1930-31	37,229	95,289	2.56	4,604	26,950	5.85	972	1,674,530	1,723	83,268	128,957	1.55
1931-32	36,390	95,389	2.62	5,491	32,372	5.90	853	1,597,911	1,873	84,307	92,595	1.10
1932-33	35,769	98,232	2.77	5,262	30,578	5.81	792	1,384,000	1,747	92,668	141,138	1.52
1933-34	36,518	81,274	2.23	6,229	28,861	4.63	810	1,608,577	1,986	77,625	109,397	1.41
1934-35	36,358	70,018	1.92	6,004	39,571	6.59	826	1,831,511	2,217	96,019	150,083	1.53
1935-36	34,719	85,806	2.47	4,161	18,312	4.40	871	2,163,618	2,484	74,741	96,888	1.30
1936-37	36,967	138,557	3.75	6,004	40,468	6.70	903	2,093,663	2,319	89,394	136,871	1.53
1937-38	32,468	99,969	3.08	9,595	65,091	6.78	881	2,111,270	2,397	73,047	112,995	1.55
1938-39	26,696	89,330	3.35	10,015	63,829	6.37	921	2,295,694	2,493	79,959	109,533	1.37
1939-40	30,452	114,409	3.76	8,922	50,221	5.62	909	1,780,528	1,958	96,264	141,404	1.47
1940-41	37,364	114,041	3.05	11,792	74,441	6.31	913	2,977,426	3,261	76,082	95,180	1.25
1941-42	30,640	109,850	3.59	11,964	74,919	6.26	1,054	2,821,184	2,677	92,636	147,628	1.59
1942-43	40,383	135,930	3.37	14,013	68,623	4.90	1,106	2,606,977	2,357	82,062	109,956	1.34
1943-44	60,500	217,800	3.60	13,937	84,519	6.06	1,075	2,793,797	2,599	99,283	153,834	1.55
1944-45	81,092	345,232	4.26	15,032	89,818	5.98	1,090	2,428,576	2,228	96,012	145,911	1.52
1945-46	56,245	236,140	4.20	13,903	76,679	5.52	1,099	1,992,349	1,813	99,758	117,079	1.17
1946-47	43,227	170,621	3.95	10,223	59,099	5.78	1,210	2,216,660	1,832	104,014	169,384	1.63
1947-48	40,382	142,746	3.53	9,491	53,260	5.61	1,251	2,454,074	1,962	84,354	137,648	1.63
1948-49	32,319	131,800	4.08	11,812	72,362	6.13	1,255	1,530,867	1,220	90,579	150,699	1.66
1949-50	34,110	122,000	3.58	14,477	90,148	6.23	1,280	2,153,700	1,683	91,335	155,653	1.70
1950-51	31,581	124,000	3.93	15,300	87,656	5.73	1,280	2,480,200	1,938	96,388	160,722	1.67
1951-52	31,514	150,000	4.78	15,026	85,114	5.66	1,313	1,716,260	1,307	97,763	172,286	1.76
1952-53	35,347	114,500	3.24	12,737	64,999	5.10	1,296	3,014,420	2,326	110,045	192,204	1.75
1953-54	34,524	144,300	4.18	16,813	112,705	6.70	1,281	2,144,684	1,674	123,249	241,582	1.96
1954-55	26,209	101,000	3.85	19,245	130,601	6.79	1,331	2,983,153	2,241	96,496	157,960	1.64
1955-56	20,842	(c)	(c)	20,892	134,303	6.43	1,312	3,168,514	2,415	137,157	260,783	1.90

(a) Dry Weight.

(b) Not available.

(c) Not yet available.

AVERAGE WHOLESALE PRICES OF PRINCIPAL CROPS AT PRINCIPAL MARKETS
—SUMMARY

YEAR	GRAIN AND PULSE							ROOT CROPS	
	Wheat	Barley (Malting)	Barley (Cape)	Oats	Peas Blue	Peas, Grey, &c.	Beans, Horse	Potatoes	Turnips
	Per bushel <i>s. d.</i>	Per bushel <i>s. d.</i>	Per bushel <i>s. d.</i>	Per bushel <i>s. d.</i>	Per bushel <i>s. d.</i>	Per bushel <i>s. d.</i>	Per bushel <i>s. d.</i>	Per ton <i>s. d.</i>	Per ton <i>s. d.</i>
1920-21	9 6	(a)	(a)	2 11	(a)	(a)	9 0	110 0	63 0
1921-22	5 0	(a)	(a)	3 1	(a)	(a)	7 6	140 0	58 0
1922-23	5 1	(a)	(a)	3 9	(a)	(a)	8 0	172 0	76 0
1923-24	5 0	(a)	(a)	3 8	(a)	(a)	7 0	101 6	65 0
1924-25	6 6	(a)	(a)	3 2	(a)	(a)	7 0	146 0	65 0
1925-26	6 6	(a)	(a)	4 6	(a)	(a)	7 6	234 0	92 0
1926-27	5 7	(a)	(a)	3 7	(a)	(a)	9 6	150 0	72 6
1927-28	5 0	4 1	4 0	3 9	8 3	7 2	9 0	98 0	75 0
1928-29	4 9	3 10	3 8	3 5	8 2	6 0	8 0	273 0	95 0
1929-30	5 0	3 8	3 2	3 4	5 5	5 6	6 0	135 0	60 0
1930-31	2 9	2 9	2 3	1 10	4 3	5 0	5 0	90 0	45 0
1931-32	3 10	3 6	2 7	2 9	8 6	7 4	7 0	105 0	60 0
1932-33	3 6	2 9	2 3	2 0	8 9	4 6	5 0	90 0	60 0
1933-34	2 9	2 9	2 3	2 6	5 0	4 1	4 3	134 6	55 0
1934-35	3 3	3 3	2 9	2 4	5 3	5 9	4 0	176 6	55 0
1935-36	4 4	3 6	3 0	2 3	5 5	6 0	5 3	152 6	95 0
1936-37	5 3	4 0	3 6	2 9	5 8	6 2	7 0	79 3	51 6
1937-38	4 0	4 0	3 5	3 2	6 2	6 6	7 7	138 6	51 6
1938-39	4 0	3 9	4 6	4 1	18 3	9 6	12 0	285 3	53 2
1939-40	3 5	3 9	4 6	3 8	18 3	8 8	12 6	184 11	80 0
1940-41	3 10	4 6	4 9	4 6	20 0	8 11	12 6	119 0	88 9
1941-42	3 10	5 1	5 3	4 4	15 0	9 7	12 6	268 0	111 0
1942-43	4 3	5 3	4 11	4 3	15 0	11 6	12 6	266 0	150 0
1943-44	5 3	5 3	4 9	4 3	15 0	11 6	16 6	250 0	110 3
1944-45	4 9	5 3	4 9	4 6	15 0	12 0	17 6	250 0	120 0
1945-46	6 8	5 3	4 9	4 9	15 0	12 0	17 6	254 6	128 6
1946-47	9 2	5 6	5 0	4 11	15 0	12 0	18 0	250 0	141 8
1947-48	14 5	5 6	5 0	5 3	15 0	13 9	18 6	250 0	144 0
1948-49	11 9	6 4	6 0	5 7	25 10	17 11	18 11	338 0	167 0
1949-50	13 7	7 5	6 6	6 11	26 9	19 6	19 2	308 0	162 9
1950-51	13 6	9 9	7 10	8 9	27 3	20 9	21 9	448 5	169 4
1951-52	14 8	14 5	11 10	11 3	30 6	30 0	28 9	550 4	176 1
1952-53	15 2	17 0	13 0	8 6	29 0	32 0	34 0	794 4	177 0
1953-54	14 1	14 0	12 6	9 0	25 0	21 6	22 6	268 10	124 7
1954-55	13 7	16 9	14 9	11 6	45 0	25 0	21 6	806 7	117 5

(a) Not available.

YEAR	Hay (a)	ORCHARD FRUITS				SMALL FRUITS			Hops (Dry)
		Apples	Pears	Apricots	Plums	Currants	Rasp- berries	Goose- berries	
		Per bushel <i>s. d.</i>	Per bushel <i>s. d.</i>	Per bushel <i>s. d.</i>	Per bushel <i>s. d.</i>	Per lb. <i>s. d.</i>	Per lb. <i>s. d.</i>	Per bushel <i>s. d.</i>	
1920-21	98 6	4 9	3 0	6 3	2 0	0 3½	0 3	6 8	3 8
1921-22	63 0	5 3	7 6	3 10	3 6	0 5½	0 6¼	5 0	3 0
1922-23	78 0	5 0	7 6	3 7	3 10	0 4½	0 4¼	4 6	2 1
1923-24	78 0	5 3	5 6	3 10	3 4	0 4	0 4	5 0	1 9
1924-25	90 0	7 0	5 2	4 0	1 11	0 3¼	0 3¼	5 0	1 10
1925-26	135 0	3 10	5 1	4 0	2 6	0 3¼	0 3	4 2	1 7½
1926-27	90 0	8 0	6 10	6 3	5 2	0 3	0 3	6 0	1 5
1927-28	109 0	3 11	5 10	4 3	3 10	0 3	0 3	7 0	1 7
1928-29	87 0	7 6	7 0	4 0	3 0	0 3	0 3¼	4 10	1 6
1929-30	85 0	3 4	4 7	4 2	3 5	0 2½	0 2½	5 2	0 11
1930-31	60 0	5 0	4 0	5 0	3 0	0 2	0 2	4 2	1 6
1931-32	75 0	4 0	4 0	5 0	5 0	0 3	0 3	4 2	1 6
1932-33	55 0	2 6	4 0	5 0	4 6	0 3	0 3	4 4	1 5
1933-34	80 0	3 3	4 2	3 3	3 0	0 3	0 2½	4 8	1 4
1934-35	58 0	5 3	5 9	4 5	3 3	0 2½	0 2½	4 10	1 5
1935-36	95 0	4 1	5 2	4 5	3 0	0 3	0 2¾	6 3	1 4½
1936-37	68 0	4 2	5 0	4 2	3 8	0 3	0 2½	5 7	1 4½
1937-38	68 0	5 0	4 10	4 0	3 4	0 3¼	0 2¾	6 8	1 6½
1938-39	76 0	5 6	5 3	3 10	2 9	0 3¾	0 3	7 10	1 6
1939-40	60 0	4 3	5 0	4 3	4 11	0 3	0 3	8 6	1 6
1940-41	70 0	2 11	5 0	4 6	3 11	0 3	0 3	10 0	1 5½
1941-42	60 0	3 6	5 1	5 0	4 3	0 4½	0 3½	9 0	1 6
1942-43	70 0	4 2	4 6	6 6	4 6	0 4	0 4	10 6	1 6½
1943-44	108 0	3 9	4 8	6 4	5 3	0 4¾	0 4	12 4	1 7
1944-45	111 0	3 9	4 0	6 9	5 0	0 4¾	0 4	11 9	1 9
1945-46	108 0	3 9	5 0	7 0	4 8	0 5	0 4	11 3	2 0
1946-47	120 0	3 11	4 5	7 1	5 3	0 5¼	0 5¼	11 4	2 2
1947-48	127 0	5 6	3 9	8 1	6 10	0 5½	0 5¾	11 9	2 3
1948-49	142 0	9 6	9 7	8 6	6 11	0 5¾	0 5¾	12 2	2 10
1949-50	125 0	12 2	14 11	8 11	6 9	0 6¾	0 6¾	12 0	3 6
1950-51	135 0	16 9	21 6	10 9	7 8	0 7¼	0 7¼	12 10	4 1
1951-52	170 0	17 10	23 11	17 5	9 4	0 9	0 9½	21 2	5 0
1952-53	177 6	21 3	26 7	15 1	7 6	0 7½	0 8	18 3	5 6
1953-54	191 0	17 9	23 1	15 0	7 7	0 7½	0 7	16 8	5 6
1954-55	217 0	19 4	23 4	13 5	7 7	0 10	0 9½	15 0	5 6

(a) Weighted average wholesale price at markets in principal Tasmanian towns only.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF TASMANIA

AVERAGE WHOLESALE PRICES OF DAIRY AND PASTORAL PRODUCTS.

Year	DAIRY PRODUCTS			Wool, Greasy (b)	LIVESTOCK					
	Butter (a)	Cheese (a)	Bacon and Ham (a)		Horses		Fat Cattle			
					Extra Heavy Draught	Medium Draught	Cows		Steers Prime	Heifers
							Prime	Other		
	lb. s. d.	lb. s. d.	lb. s. d.	lb. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1920-21	1 9¼	0 11¾	1 5¾	—	35 0 0	35 0 0	16 0 0	10 0 0	16 0 0	10 0 0
1921-22	2 1	0 10	1 5¼	—	38 0 0	34 0 0	15 0 0	10 0 0	16 0 0	14 0 0
1922-23	1 3¾	0 8¼	0 11¾	—	45 0 0	39 0 0	14 15 0	10 0 0	16 10 0	14 10 0
1923-24	1 5¼	0 9¼	1 1¼	—	43 0 0	35 0 0	15 0 0	8 0 0	17 0 0	9 10 0
1924-25	1 4	0 8¼	1 0½	—	37 0 0	29 0 0	12 0 0	9 0 0	16 0 0	9 0 0
1925-26	1 5½	0 9½	1 0¾	(c) 18.25	40 0 0	33 0 0	13 0 0	9 0 0	15 0 0	10 0 0
1926-27	1 5¾	0 9¼	1 0½	18.09	38 0 0	29 0 0	14 0 0	9 0 0	16 10 0	10 0 0
1927-28	1 6	0 9	1 0½	23.09	35 0 0	27 10 0	12 10 0	8 0 0	15 15 0	9 10 0
1928-29	1 8	0 9½	1 0¼	20.21	36 10 0	29 10 0	15 5 0	9 0 0	18 10 0	11 5 0
1929-30	1 6½	0 9¾	0 11	11.90	30 10 0	25 10 0	11 5 0	7 10 0	12 5 0	8 15 0
1930-31	1 3¼	0 7	0 9	8.35	31 5 0	27 0 0	9 10 0	7 0 0	11 5 0	8 0 0
1931-32	1 2¼	0 7½	0 9	10.32	39 5 0	31 5 0	8 15 0	6 10 0	10 17 6	7 15 0
1932-33	0 11¼	0 5¾	0 8½	10.79	45 0 0	37 10 0	8 2 6	6 12 6	10 17 6	6 0 0
1933-34	0 10¾	0 5¾	0 8¾	22.23	46 0 0	36 5 0	8 12 6	5 5 0	10 7 6	8 3 0
1934-35	0 10¾	0 6¼	0 8¾	11.33	43 15 0	36 10 0	8 5 0	5 17 6	10 5 0	6 15 0
1935-36	1 0	0 7¼	0 9	16.20	43 0 0	39 10 0	9 7 6	6 17 6	11 15 0	9 10 0
1936-37	1 1¼	0 7½	0 9½	20.55	44 0 0	37 15 0	9 15 0	6 17 6	11 7 6	7 17 6
1937-38	1 3¼	0 8¼	0 9	14.06	41 15 0	36 5 0	9 17 6	6 5 0	11 5 0	8 5 0
1938-39	1 3	0 7½	0 9	11.79	44 0 0	34 0 0	10 15 0	6 12 6	12 5 0	10 5 0
1939-40	1 3¼	0 8¼	0 9	14.87	33 13 8	26 13 4	11 3 4	7 10 0	14 13 4	9 13 4
1940-41	1 3¼	0 8¼	0 10¾	16.52	34 0 0	26 13 4	12 13 4	7 13 4	14 6 8	11 0 0
1941-42	1 3¼	0 8¼	0 11¾	16.52	32 0 0	25 0 0	12 0 0	7 0 0	14 2 6	10 5 0
1942-43	1 4½	0 10¼	1 3	19.05	35 0 0	27 13 4	14 13 4	7 0 0	17 6 8	13 13 4
1943-44	1 4½	0 9¼	1 3¾	19.24	37 10 0	25 15 0	14 0 0	8 10 0	17 0 0	13 12 6
1944-45	1 4¾	0 10¾	1 3¾	19.41	32 10 0	25 0 0	17 15 0	11 15 0	20 5 0	16 0 0
1945-46	1 6	0 11	1 3½	18.63	35 0 0	27 5 0	19 16 8	11 13 4	21 13 4	18 0 0
1946-47	1 7¼	0 11½	1 4	27.60	35 0 0	29 7 6	26 5 0	19 10 0	29 5 0	21 10 0
1947-48	1 10¼	1 0¼	1 6	44.68	36 0 0	27 6 8	27 15 0	16 13 4	33 10 0	21 15 0
1948-49	2 1¾	1 1½	1 8¾	56.30	26 5 0	19 15 0	24 7 6	18 6 8	34 17 6	21 3 9
1949-50	2 3½	1 2½	2 1½	71.58	36 0 0	30 0 0	28 17 6	18 6 8	30 12 6	25 10 0
1950-51	2 3½	1 4½	2 6	180.06	36 5 0	27 15 0	28 10 0	19 15 0	38 15 0	28 0 0
1951-52	3 0	2 0½	3 1¾	69.11	40 0 0	31 13 4	36 5 0	21 5 0	48 12 6	35 0 0
1952-53	3 7	2 6	3 7¾	80.91	41 0 0	31 0 0	48 0 0	32 10 0	62 10 0	40 10 0
1953-54	3 8½	2 5½	4 3¾	82.91	35 0 0	26 0 0	38 0 0	22 0 0	53 0 0	38 0 0
1954-55	3 8½	2 6	3 9¼	76.50	33 0 0	28 0 0	32 0 0	18 0 0	54 0 0	39 0 0

Year	LIVESTOCK—continued									
	Dairy Cows				Fat Sheep				Pigs	
	Milkers		Springers	Dry	Crossbred Wethers Prime	Crossbred Ewes Prime	Merino Wethers Prime	Lambs Prime	Baconers	Porkers
	Best	Good								
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1920-21	22 10 0	16 0 0	14 0 0	8 10 0	1 2 6	0 17 6	0 17 0	0 18 0	4 10 0	2 10 0
1921-22	20 0 0	16 0 0	12 10 0	6 0 0	1 7 0	1 4 0	0 19 6	1 1 0	2 17 6	1 8 0
1922-23	18 15 0	16 0 0	12 10 0	6 5 0	2 0 0	2 0 6	1 11 0	2 1 6	5 10 0	3 7 6
1923-24	17 0 0	14 0 0	11 0 0	6 10 0	1 18 6	1 13 6	1 12 0	1 17 0	4 5 0	2 15 0
1924-25	14 5 0	12 0 0	10 10 0	4 15 0	1 11 6	1 4 0	1 3 0	1 8 6	3 6 0	2 0 0
1925-26	14 0 0	11 0 0	10 0 0	5 0 0	1 6 6	1 2 0	1 0 0	1 6 6	4 10 0	2 5 0
1926-27	15 0 0	11 0 0	11 0 0	4 10 0	1 7 6	1 2 0	1 2 0	1 7 0	4 0 0	2 10 0
1927-28	13 10 0	9 15 0	9 15 0	4 15 0	1 4 0	1 2 0	1 0 6	1 5 3	4 10 0	3 0 0
1928-29	13 10 0	11 5 0	10 0 0	5 10 0	1 5 0	1 1 6	1 0 0	1 5 0	3 15 0	2 15 0
1929-30	12 10 0	10 0 0	9 15 0	6 0 0	0 17 6	0 13 0	0 13 0	0 19 0	3 8 9	1 15 6
1930-31	11 5 0	9 0 0	8 17 6	4 15 0	0 11 6	0 9 6	0 8 6	0 13 0	2 15 0	1 12 0
1931-32	10 10 0	8 12 6	7 12 6	3 15 0	0 11 6	0 9 3	0 8 6	0 13 0	2 19 6	1 11 3
1932-33	9 10 0	6 5 0	6 5 0	3 15 0	0 17 3	0 14 6	0 11 6	0 17 6	2 15 0	1 19 0
1933-34	8 15 0	6 15 0	5 5 0	3 12 6	0 18 3	0 15 6	0 11 6	0 19 3	2 16 3	1 7 6
1934-35	8 10 0	6 15 0	5 15 0	3 8 9	0 19 9	0 16 3	0 14 3	1 0 6	2 12 0	1 4 9
1935-36	8 12 6	6 17 6	5 15 0	3 12 6	1 2 6	0 18 0	0 15 3	1 3 9	2 17 6	1 13 3
1936-37	10 10 0	7 10 0	6 2 6	3 18 9	1 2 0	0 17 6	0 15 0	1 4 6	2 18 9	1 9 3
1937-38	9 17 6	6 15 0	5 15 0	3 13 9	0 16 4	0 14 8	0 13 2	1 1 0	2 18 9	1 10 3
1938-39	11 7 6	8 17 6	7 0 0	4 8 9	0 18 9	0 13 3	0 12 9	1 0 6	3 1 3	1 14 0
1939-40	12 0 0	8 16 8	5 10 0	3 13 4	0 19 6	0 13 6	0 11 10	1 0 4	2 15 0	1 14 2
1940-41	13 13 4	8 3 4	7 3 4	4 3 4	0 17 8	0 15 4	0 12 8	1 0 4	2 16 8	1 15 8
1941-42	12 10 0	9 10 0	8 5 0	4 17 6	1 3 0	0 15 9	0 17 8	1 4 0	4 1 3	2 6 0
1942-43	14 0 0	11 10 0	9 6 8	6 6 8	1 9 8	1 4 8	0 18 8	1 9 8	4 13 4	2 15 0
1943-44	15 0 0	10 15 0	10 7 6	5 12 6	1 9 6	1 4 3	0 15 6	1 13 0	5 5 0	3 3 9
1944-45	17 0 0	12 15 0	11 7 6	6 12 6	1 10 6	1 6 0	1 0 6	1 12 6	5 11 3	3 5 0
1945-46	18 10 0	15 2 6	14 2 6	9 10 0	1 11 8	1 5 4	1 1 4	1 16 0	6 10 0	3 17 6
1946-47	26 5 0	20 10 0	18 10 0	11 7 6	2 13 3	2 2 7	1 18 0	2 10 6	6 5 0	3 15 8
1947-48	33 10 0	26 5 0	20 5 0	15 0 0	2 16 3	2 1 3	1 15 0	2 15 0	8 0 0	3 18 9
1948-49	29 17 6	24 0 0	17 15 0	9 10 0	2 10 6	1 16 10	1 13 6	2 11 9	8 11 3	4 18 9
1949-50	32 0 0	25 0 0	18 5 0	15 13 4	4 0 0	2 15 0	3 3 9	3 11 8	10 15 0	6 2 6
1950-51	32 5 0	23 5 0	23 15 4	14 2 6	3 19 6	3 17 6	2 17 0	4 5 0	11 5 0	6 15 0
1951-52	45 0 0	33 5 0	32 0 0	18 0 0	3 15 0	2 17 4	2 0 0	4 15 0	12 13 4	7 13 4
1952-53	57 0 0	45 0 0	36 0 0	21 0 0	4 0 0	3 0 0	2 15 0	4 10 0	18 0 0	13 0 0
1953-54	57 10 0	45 0 0	35 0 0	21 0 0	3 10 0	3 0 0	2 0 0	5 0 0	16 0 0	10 10 0
1954-55	54 0 0	36 0 0	28 0 0	21 0 0	3 0 0	2 10 0	1 15 0	4 0 0	11 0 0	9 0 0

(a) Weighted average wholesale selling price at factory door. (b) Average price of all wool sold at auction except during years 1939-40 to 1945-46 when the price represented the average *appraised* price fixed under agreement with the British Government. (c) Not available prior to 1925-26 on a comparable basis.

PRODUCTION — PRIMARY, 1860 to 1955-56

YEAR	LIVESTOCK NUMBERS						PRODUCTION OF WOOL (as in the Grease)		
	Horses	Cattle			Sheep	Pigs	No. of Sheep and Lambs Shorn	Production of Wool (including dead, fell- mongered & exported on skins)	Average Yield per Sheep and Lamb Shorn (including Crutchings)
		Beef (a)	Dairy (a)	Total					
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	'000	'000 lb.	lb.
1860	21,034	—	—	83,366	1,700,930	31,290	—	4,538	—
1870	22,679	—	—	101,459	1,349,775	49,432	—	4,147	—
1880	25,267	—	—	127,187	1,794,265	48,029	—	9,025	—
1881	25,607	—	—	130,526	1,861,857	49,660	—	8,270	—
1882	25,857	—	—	122,504	1,845,455	47,826	—	7,749	—
1883	26,840	—	—	130,525	1,831,069	55,774	—	8,258	—
1884	27,188	—	—	128,834	1,720,027	57,303	—	8,215	—
1885	28,610	—	—	138,642	1,648,627	67,395	—	5,774	—
1886	29,684	—	—	148,665	1,609,046	73,118	—	8,176	—
1887	29,528	—	—	147,092	1,547,242	52,408	—	9,740	—
1888	29,238	—	—	142,019	1,430,065	43,227	—	6,977	—
1889	29,778	—	—	150,004	1,551,429	58,632	—	6,241	—
1890	31,165	—	—	162,440	1,619,256	81,716	—	8,984	—
1891	31,312	—	—	167,788	1,664,118	73,520	—	9,378	—
1892	31,976	—	—	170,085	1,623,338	59,267	—	8,438	—
1893	31,587	—	—	169,141	1,535,047	51,952	—	8,729	—
1894	34,835	—	—	177,038	1,727,200	65,620	—	9,177	—
1895	31,580	—	—	162,801	1,523,846	70,142	—	7,223	—
1896	29,547	—	—	157,730	1,650,567	55,301	—	8,811	—
1897	29,898	—	—	157,486	1,588,611	43,520	—	8,144	—
1898	29,859	—	—	149,753	1,493,638	45,274	—	7,793	—
1899	31,189	—	—	160,204	1,672,068	74,451	—	8,636	—
1900	31,607	—	—	165,516	1,683,956	68,291	—	6,754	—
1901	32,399	—	—	168,661	1,792,481	58,716	—	10,270	—
1902	33,465	—	—	177,566	1,679,518	52,096	—	9,616	—
1903	35,541	—	—	185,938	1,597,053	56,538	—	6,867	—
1904	36,565	—	—	202,206	1,556,460	77,943	—	12,321	—
1905	37,101	—	—	206,211	1,583,561	72,810	—	11,753	—
1906	38,299	—	—	211,117	1,729,394	42,985	—	12,601	—
1907	40,392	—	—	215,523	1,744,800	46,704	—	10,878	—
1908	39,881	—	—	205,827	1,728,053	47,945	—	13,860	—
1909	40,492	—	—	199,945	1,734,761	55,705	—	12,551	—
1910	41,388	—	—	201,854	1,788,310	63,715	—	13,339	—
1911	41,853	—	—	217,406	1,823,017	67,392	—	12,727	—
1912	44,039	—	—	222,181	1,852,669	49,152	—	14,416	—
1913	43,941	—	—	205,743	1,745,356	37,990	(c)	12,093	—
1914-15 ..	42,232	—	—	176,524	1,674,845	34,960	1,572	12,049	—
1915-16 ..	41,422	—	—	169,575	1,624,450	37,778	1,508	11,747	(c)
1916-17 ..	42,620	—	—	179,360	1,702,579	53,033	1,582	12,442	7.06
1917-18 ..	42,396	—	—	197,938	1,711,116	54,653	1,631	11,927	6.61
1918-19 ..	41,221	—	—	218,234	1,841,924	44,328	1,789	12,280	6.20
1919-20 ..	39,452	—	—	214,442	1,781,425	35,530	1,843	13,069	6.41
1920-21 ..	39,117	—	—	208,202	1,570,832	38,116	1,551	11,503	6.48
1921-22 ..	38,439	—	—	216,704	1,551,273	49,743	1,428	11,635	7.17
1922-23 ..	37,313	—	—	218,197	1,558,494	46,056	1,503	12,219	7.19
1923-24 ..	37,570	—	—	220,351	1,557,716	47,101	1,507	11,712	6.91
1924-25 ..	37,091	—	—	225,740	1,614,085	47,305	1,630	12,483	6.96
1925-26 ..	37,785	—	—	212,373	1,619,075	41,009	1,639	12,564	7.01
1926-27 ..	36,830	—	—	213,112	1,807,558	38,906	1,738	12,333	6.47
1927-28 ..	35,872	—	—	210,894	1,904,955	41,752	1,859	13,272	6.60
1928-29 ..	34,908	—	—	208,812	2,000,605	48,304	1,902	14,900	7.09
1929-30 ..	34,336	—	—	214,643	2,091,113	52,899	1,983	15,000	6.92
1930-31 ..	32,700	—	—	230,254	2,119,606	54,556	1,961	14,800	6.86
1931-32 ..	30,659	—	—	232,444	2,012,055	41,459	1,913	14,700	6.92
1932-33 ..	30,269	—	—	250,807	2,040,564	41,391	1,940	15,200	6.97
1933-34 ..	30,299	—	—	262,256	2,035,052	38,126	1,991	14,200	6.42
1934-35 ..	30,662	—	—	261,588	2,038,450	40,291	1,976	14,035	6.40
1935-36 ..	30,626	—	—	270,035	2,139,900	45,163	2,010	16,300	7.44
1936-37 ..	30,971	—	—	261,597	2,233,655	40,021	2,106	14,067	5.99
1937-38 ..	31,578	—	—	254,812	2,520,950	43,067	2,460	15,599	5.74
1938-39 ..	30,458	—	—	262,407	2,625,690	45,317	2,432	17,519	6.67
1939-40 ..	29,605	—	—	252,484	2,677,120	44,941	2,509	18,334	6.80
1940-41 ..	29,406	—	—	259,108	2,682,375	46,713	2,517	17,078	6.12
1941-42 ..	(b) 28,612	—	—	(b) 253,106	(b) 2,398,201	(b) 44,519	2,416	16,985	6.71
1942-43 ..	27,077	101,735	142,946	244,681	2,226,906	49,251	2,293	17,256	6.56
1943-44 ..	26,317	101,352	128,775	230,127	2,187,799	46,427	2,260	17,924	6.45
1944-45 ..	25,885	96,602	128,066	224,668	2,156,071	46,915	2,235	16,324	6.16
1945-46 ..	24,863	90,139	126,167	216,306	1,925,604	46,915	2,015	16,338	6.01
1946-47 ..	23,925	87,854	132,265	220,119	1,933,332	47,407	2,005	16,643	6.70
1947-48 ..	23,125	100,066	144,041	244,107	2,086,528	45,149	2,085	15,326	7.02
1948-49 ..	22,207	111,297	155,122	266,419	2,160,009	36,996	2,198	16,846	6.82
1949-50 ..	21,197	116,781	157,959	274,740	2,170,329	35,841	2,255	16,958	6.55
1950-51 ..	20,056	114,760	157,024	271,784	2,181,516	45,446	2,245	17,250	6.59
1951-52 ..	18,834	110,727	155,536	266,263	2,337,768	46,926	2,379	20,513	7.54
1952-53 ..	18,224	112,919	162,212	275,131	2,421,539	39,378	2,502	19,807	7.03
1953-54 ..	17,076	121,583	173,595	295,178	2,465,319	46,256	2,553	20,116	6.96
1954-55 ..	15,865	129,706	189,711	319,417	2,594,972	58,382	2,715	23,797	7.79
1955-56 ..	14,640	147,987	183,602	331,589	2,672,729	49,498	2,733	23,418	7.61

(a) Not available separately until 1942-43.
(b) Prior to 1941-42, as at 31st December. For 1941-42 and subsequent years, as at 31st March.
(c) Not available for earlier years.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF TASMANIA

PRODUCTION OF MEAT—SUMMARY
(Carcase Weight, Bone-in)

Year	Beef and Veal			Mutton and Lamb			Pork, Bacon and Ham			Total All Meat (in terms of fresh meat)
	Beef	Veal	Total	Mutton	Lamb	Total	Pork	Bacon and Ham (cured weight)	Total (in terms of pork)	
	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
1921-22	7,864		7,864	5,632	962	6,594	695	605	1,602	16,060
1922-23	7,120		7,120	5,268	977	6,245	1,010	794	2,201	15,566
1923-24	7,594		7,594	4,840	890	5,730	922	1,014	2,443	15,767
1924-25	8,103		8,103	4,089	874	4,963	895	1,084	2,521	15,587
1925-26	8,278		8,278	4,180	954	5,134	579	1,033	2,128	15,540
1926-27	7,503		7,503	4,168	1,291	5,459	574	869	1,877	14,839
1927-28	8,176		8,176	4,322	1,433	5,755	515	1,241	2,376	16,307
1928-29	8,229		8,229	4,298	1,493	5,791	952	1,026	2,491	16,511
1929-30	8,024		8,024	4,378	1,570	5,948	1,159	1,096	2,803	16,775
1930-31	6,327	44	6,371	4,753	1,602	6,355	933	886	2,262	14,988
1931-32	6,627	42	6,669	4,740	2,117	6,857	892	826	2,131	15,657
1932-33	6,977	51	7,028	4,534	2,606	7,140	863	776	2,027	16,195
1933-34	7,418	119	7,537	4,396	1,898	6,294	975	871	2,282	16,113
1934-35	7,941	137	8,078	4,080	1,889	5,969	974	903	2,329	16,376
1935-36	8,193	139	8,332	3,409	2,409	5,818	1,139	886	2,468	16,618
1936-37	9,625	182	9,807	3,577	2,149	5,726	1,121	952	2,549	18,082
1937-38	9,734	178	9,912	4,217	2,115	6,332	1,342	1,096	2,986	19,230
1938-39	10,770	176	10,946	4,004	2,325	6,329	1,623	1,015	3,146	20,421
1939-40	10,458	162	10,620	4,768	2,942	7,710	1,566	1,292	3,504	21,834
1940-41	10,578	135	10,713	4,508	3,358	7,866	1,893	913	3,263	21,842
1941-42	11,067	188	11,255	5,851	3,423	9,274	1,680	937	3,086	23,615
1942-43	11,157	197	11,354	5,649	4,272	9,921	1,347	1,238	3,204	24,479
1943-44	10,733	284	11,017	6,365	4,196	10,561	1,446	1,202	3,249	24,827
1944-45	8,973	209	9,182	6,299	2,901	9,200	1,270	1,190	3,055	21,437
1945-46	8,098	175	8,273	5,666	2,243	7,909	986	1,255	2,869	19,051
1946-47	8,125	72	8,197	4,994	2,168	7,162	1,039	1,150	2,603	17,962
1947-48	7,993	77	8,070	4,251	2,655	6,906	1,391	1,317	3,177	18,153
1948-49	9,639	154	9,793	4,319	3,255	7,574	1,442	1,122	2,968	20,335
1949-50	12,105	166	12,271	4,819	4,107	8,926	1,208	991	2,556	23,753
1950-51	13,805	298	14,103	4,813	3,848	8,661	1,499	946	2,790	25,554
1951-52	14,177	213	14,390	4,732	4,243	8,975	1,981	829	3,109	26,474
1952-53	13,534	308	13,842	5,654	5,002	10,656	1,920	886	3,126	27,624
1953-54	10,716	287	11,003	6,004	5,069	11,073	1,399	949	2,693	24,769
1954-55	13,323	347	13,670	6,050	5,851	11,901	2,027	1,027	3,429	29,000
1955-56	14,894	522	15,416	5,177	6,601	11,778	2,215	1,040	3,635	30,829

LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERED FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION—SUMMARY

Year	Cattle and Calves				Sheep and Lambs			Pigs		
	Bullocks	Cows	Calves	Total	Sheep	Lambs	Total	For Pork	For Curing	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1921-22	26,195	5,745	1,626	33,566	293,388	69,483	362,871	10,320	25,517	35,837
1922-23	22,282	6,752	1,992	31,026	274,407	70,582	344,989	33,867	15,867	49,734
1923-24	20,238	11,209	2,282	33,729	252,123	64,315	316,438	31,677	21,208	52,885
1924-25	21,068	12,544	2,542	36,154	212,983	63,134	276,117	31,148	24,081	55,229
1925-26	20,903	13,562	2,359	36,824	217,755	68,936	286,691	38,955	23,177	62,132
1926-27	18,026	13,445	1,518	32,989	217,115	93,313	310,428	32,185	18,556	50,741
1927-28	19,564	14,686	1,999	36,249	225,140	103,531	328,671	28,701	20,092	48,793
1928-29	19,957	14,514	1,793	36,264	223,918	107,902	331,820	33,559	23,629	57,188
1929-30	20,430	13,034	1,814	35,278	228,090	113,437	341,527	37,083	27,204	64,287
1930-31	19,713	6,395	1,230	27,338	247,585	115,744	363,329	29,867	23,736	53,603
1931-32	20,140	7,279	1,146	28,565	246,905	152,999	399,904	28,529	22,737	51,266
1932-33	20,755	8,172	1,408	30,335	236,199	188,320	424,519	27,607	20,935	48,542
1933-34	22,573	9,340	2,645	34,558	229,017	137,139	366,156	29,136	20,892	50,028
1934-35	22,595	11,912	3,074	37,581	212,514	136,530	349,044	29,099	21,843	50,942
1935-36	19,429	17,037	3,122	39,588	177,597	174,087	351,684	34,031	23,577	57,608
1936-37	23,725	18,917	4,076	46,718	186,333	155,253	341,586	33,467	25,046	58,513
1937-38	26,518	17,947	3,986	48,451	219,698	152,849	372,547	40,086	23,737	63,823
1938-39	32,202	14,253	3,942	50,397	208,564	168,019	376,583	48,477	23,505	71,982
1939-40	32,685	12,110	3,633	48,428	248,372	212,585	460,957	46,776	26,622	73,398
1940-41	33,391	11,839	3,016	48,246	234,845	242,630	477,475	56,524	24,697	81,221
1941-42	38,146	8,467	4,206	50,819	304,777	247,310	552,087	50,173	27,965	78,138
1942-43	32,740	15,523	4,421	52,684	294,261	308,658	602,919	33,522	40,240	73,762
1943-44	34,290	12,734	6,341	53,365	331,579	283,740	615,319	39,985	29,942	69,927
1944-45	27,290	14,536	4,701	46,527	323,797	185,616	509,413	34,230	23,838	58,068
1945-46	22,238	16,885	3,925	43,048	288,674	143,561	432,235	24,521	28,429	52,950
1946-47	20,982	19,035	1,607	41,624	254,232	138,779	393,011	21,464	29,120	50,584
1947-48	19,919	16,084	1,918	37,921	212,510	163,439	375,949	29,100	28,201	57,301
1948-49	24,437	17,250	3,679	45,366	215,555	204,626	420,181	30,529	22,108	52,637
1949-50	29,331	23,736	4,580	57,647	245,691	262,360	508,051	25,490	25,371	50,861
1950-51	32,199	28,921	8,637	69,757	234,084	250,535	484,619	32,396	25,391	57,787
1951-52	33,352	29,506	8,729	71,587	226,377	256,116	482,493	42,123	23,770	65,893
1952-53	32,913	25,270	12,297	70,480	269,776	306,739	576,515	42,214	23,306	65,520
1953-54	22,630	25,188	13,955	61,773	286,665	307,326	593,991	31,540	27,933	59,473
1954-55	26,741	32,871	15,333	74,945	287,103	356,103	643,206	47,581	31,724	79,305
1955-56	32,259	36,370	19,786	88,415	256,188	388,802	644,990	53,004	34,605	87,609

PRODUCTION — MANUFACTURING, 1906 to 1954-55

YEAR	Number of Factories	AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS ENGAGED							Rated H.P. of engines and motors installed (b)	Average Time worked during Year	VALUE OF—	
		Working Proprietors	Managers, Overseers, Accountants and Clerks	All other Workers	Males	Females	Total	Masculinity(a)			Land and Buildings	Plant and Machinery
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	H.P.	Mths.	£	£
1906 ..	373	(c)	(c)	(c)	7,220	1,278	8,498	565	(d)	(c)	666,837	841,883
1907 ..	505	(c)	1,082	7,127	6,972	1,237	8,209	564	(d)	(c)	834,611	975,104
1908 ..	557	(c)	1,196	7,531	7,334	1,393	8,727	526	(d)	(c)	1,044,898	972,521
1909 ..	576	(c)	1,217	8,105	7,889	1,433	9,322	551	(d)	(c)	1,177,719	1,063,460
1910 ..	635	574	758	8,516	8,145	1,703	9,848	478	(d)	(c)	1,022,115	1,046,191
1911 ..	609	501	808	8,989	8,737	1,561	10,298	559	(d)	10.9	1,050,987	1,216,200
1912 ..	611	496	805	8,656	8,391	1,566	9,957	536	(d)	11.2	1,094,488	1,161,019
1913 ..	623	502	805	8,477	8,354	1,430	9,784	584	(d)	11.1	1,105,711	1,248,688
1914 ..	603	464	810	7,648	7,613	1,309	8,922	582	(d)	11.0	1,144,714	1,191,378
1915 ..	589	410	799	7,211	7,161	1,259	8,420	569	(d)	11.1	1,132,424	1,228,252
1916 ..	568	396	783	7,183	7,046	1,316	8,362	535	(d)	11.1	1,130,602	1,263,100
1917 ..	540	383	772	6,924	6,860	1,219	8,079	563	(d)	11.2	1,127,716	1,224,647
1918 ..	553	372	888	7,453	7,356	1,357	8,713	542	(d)	10.8	843,399	1,916,184
1919 ..	652	447	947	8,622	8,503	1,513	10,016	562	(d)	9.7	955,768	2,048,322
1920 ..	616	413	959	8,853	8,746	1,479	10,225	591	(d)	10.9	981,660	1,931,527
1921 ..	686	550	1,021	8,556	8,525	1,602	10,127	532	(d)	10.4	1,169,164	2,927,795
1922 ..	689	500	1,042	8,782	8,453	1,871	10,324	452	(d)	10.8	1,452,073	3,702,469
1923-24	781	606	1,254	10,359	10,046	2,173	12,219	462	(d)	10.5	1,806,670	6,439,391
1924-25	675	470	1,180	9,348	9,016	1,982	10,998	455	(d)	10.9	2,104,704	6,728,602
1925-26	727	522	1,314	9,335	9,055	2,116	11,171	428	(d)	10.9	2,202,560	6,704,990
1926-27	767	574	1,337	9,783	9,485	2,209	11,694	429	(d)	10.9	2,449,093	6,411,712
		(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)					
1927-28	792	481	1,381	9,274	8,638	2,498	11,136	346	(d)	10.8	2,558,778	6,425,605
1928-29	785	477	1,350	8,710	8,217	2,320	10,537	354	(d)	10.9	2,804,603	6,352,134
1929-30	845	462	1,345	9,013	8,547	2,273	10,820	376	(d)	10.6	2,996,859	6,946,945
1930-31	805	420	1,196	7,213	6,922	1,907	8,829	363	(d)	10.2	2,739,272	6,442,501
1931-32	891	508	1,166	7,326	6,999	2,001	9,000	350	(d)	10.5	2,774,698	6,455,746
1932-33	910	538	1,166	7,529	7,147	2,086	9,233	343	(d)	10.5	2,629,532	6,031,887
1933-34	899	556	1,182	8,044	7,716	2,066	9,782	373	(d)	10.7	2,630,761	6,122,158
1934-35	926	570	1,284	8,701	8,321	2,234	10,555	372	(d)	10.8	2,694,755	6,069,016
1935-36	925	578	1,296	9,715	9,211	2,378	11,589	387	(d)	10.9	2,675,951	5,990,722
1936-37	946	624	1,392	10,415	10,055	2,376	12,431	423	(d)	11.3	3,052,658	4,750,486
1937-38	948	666	1,411	11,093	10,680	2,490	13,170	429	49,274	11.4	2,989,509	4,678,687
1938-39	944	633	1,522	11,647	11,150	2,652	13,802	420	62,544	11.3	3,717,102	6,402,270
1939-40	980	635	1,589	12,446	11,754	2,916	14,670	403	66,515	11.4	3,775,605	6,787,888
1940-41	1,002	648	1,723	13,468	12,341	3,498	15,839	353	84,195	11.3	4,237,169	7,549,041
1941-42	994	622	1,916	15,018	13,389	4,167	17,556	321	85,123	11.5	4,384,553	7,612,799
1942-43	992	612	2,011	15,687	13,941	4,369	18,310	319	94,167	11.4	4,927,195	8,133,330
1943-44	994	616	2,102	17,073	14,697	5,094	19,791	289	95,775	11.5	5,293,066	8,064,293
1944-45	1,006	634	2,133	16,744	14,756	4,755	19,511	310	98,772	11.5	5,491,679	7,967,231
1945-46	1,082	682	f 2,645	g 15,908	15,105	4,130	19,235	366	101,520	11.4	5,304,703	8,230,715
1946-47	1,169	786	2,719	16,432	16,186	3,751	19,937	432	107,331	11.5	5,678,205	8,499,969
1947-48	1,225	828	2,952	17,393	17,208	3,965	21,173	434	121,715	11.5	6,271,365	9,915,837
1948-49	1,346	895	3,179	18,528	18,508	4,094	22,602	452	131,316	11.5	7,334,911	12,253,470
1949-50	1,456	984	3,394	19,128	19,302	4,204	23,506	459	145,079	11.6	8,649,734	13,728,161
1950-51	1,486	980	3,504	19,343	19,454	4,373	23,827	445	150,804	11.6	10,350,275	17,155,925
1951-52	1,512	955	3,589	19,483	19,934	4,093	24,027	487	164,210	11.7	12,499,411	20,590,513
1952-53	1,504	926	3,660	18,909	19,621	3,874	23,495	506	180,352	11.7	14,962,374	22,620,002
1953-54	1,545	928	3,798	19,863	20,249	4,340	24,589	467	193,611	11.7	26,996,557	27,492,023
1954-55	1,597	994	3,980	20,478	21,045	4,407	25,452	478	210,606	11.7	29,602,966	29,878,863

- (a) Number of males per 100 females.
(b) Excludes central electric stations.
(c) Not available.
(d) Not available on a comparable basis.
(e) Commencing with 1927-28, the number of persons employed has been computed on the average over the *whole* year; prior to that date, the number represents the average over the period of operation.
(f) Commencing with 1945-46, includes chemists, draftsmen and other laboratory and research staff formerly included with "All Other Workers".
(g) Not comparable with figures for previous years; see note (f) above.

PRODUCTION — MANUFACTURING, 1906 to 1954-55

Year	Output (Value of Goods Manu- factured, and Work Done)	Costs of Manufacture (other than Labour)		Value of Production (Output less Costs other than Labour)		Labour Costs (c)				Balance (Value of Production less Labour Costs) (e)
		Raw Material	Other Costs (excl. Dep- reciation) (a)	Total	Average Per Person Engaged (b)	Salaries (d)	Wages (d)	Total	Average Per Em- ployee	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1906 ..	(f)	(f)	(f)	(f)	(f)	(g)	(g)	615,684	(h)	(f)
1907 ..	(f)	(f)	(f)	(f)	(f)	(g)	(g)	651,884	(h)	(f)
1908 ..	(f)	(f)	(f)	(f)	(f)	(g)	(g)	693,594	(h)	(f)
1909 ..	(f)	(f)	115,364	(f)	(f)	(g)	(g)	773,424	(h)	(f)
1910 ..	3,075,762	1,370,775	142,842	1,562,145	(f)	72,848	672,034	744,882	(h)	817,263
1911 ..	3,525,087	1,952,190	140,816	1,432,081	(f)	104,590	723,002	827,592	(h)	604,489
1912 ..	3,871,916	2,286,618	187,461	1,397,837	150	127,494	727,840	855,334	(h)	542,503
1913 ..	3,782,831	2,083,666	185,681	1,513,484	167	141,272	742,180	883,452	(h)	630,032
1914 ..	3,667,754	1,992,719	189,012	1,486,023	182	128,800	707,029	835,829	(h)	650,194
1915 ..	4,215,447	2,193,250	110,803	1,911,394	245	129,704	653,843	783,547	(h)	1,127,847
1916 ..	4,576,530	2,342,623	116,704	2,117,203	274	131,956	703,511	835,467	(h)	1,281,736
1917 ..	4,768,000	2,541,175	92,544	2,134,281	283	158,204	680,458	838,662	(h)	1,295,619
1918 ..	5,684,219	3,230,188	105,392	2,348,639	300	166,485	797,489	963,974	127	1,384,665
1919 ..	6,216,554	3,563,137	112,555	2,540,862	314	194,379	1,011,580	1,205,959	139	1,334,903
1920 ..	7,151,972	4,234,308	155,222	2,762,442	297	222,905	1,257,323	1,480,228	166	1,282,214
1921 ..	5,796,625	2,983,265	151,553	2,661,807	303	241,044	1,261,830	1,502,874	181	1,158,933
1922 ..	6,426,226	3,229,460	193,765	3,003,001	323	259,355	1,383,546	1,642,901	186	1,360,100
1923-24 ..	7,801,488	3,781,499	265,409	3,754,580	351	315,495	1,584,406	1,899,901	187	1,854,679
1924-25 ..	7,842,504	3,442,292	774,529	3,625,683	363	341,349	1,546,731	1,888,080	197	1,737,603
1925-26 ..	7,605,194	3,365,049	862,061	3,378,084	334	374,975	1,505,346	1,880,321	194	1,497,763
1926-27 ..	8,104,545	3,685,153	825,980	3,593,412	339	365,360	1,616,157	1,981,517	196	1,611,895
1927-28 ..	8,238,410	3,730,766	836,756	3,670,888	330	393,801	1,607,889	2,001,690	189	1,669,198
1928-29 ..	8,475,916	4,015,280	905,342	3,555,294	337	379,276	1,515,651	1,894,927	190	1,660,367
1929-30 ..	8,560,452	4,012,745	985,482	3,562,225	329	389,586	1,638,574	2,028,160	196	1,534,065
1930-31 ..	6,115,567	2,462,764	845,306	2,807,497	318	345,348	1,195,872	1,541,220	183	1,266,277
1931-32 ..	6,423,177	2,808,890	805,904	2,808,383	312	318,986	1,097,145	1,416,131	167	1,392,252
1932-33 ..	6,563,083	2,894,489	789,157	2,879,437	312	303,651	1,112,360	1,416,011	163	1,463,426
1933-34 ..	6,786,409	2,911,737	824,821	3,049,851	312	316,749	1,164,754	1,481,503	161	1,568,348
1934-35 ..	7,223,124	3,129,850	935,128	3,158,146	299	336,683	1,264,534	1,601,217	160	1,556,929
1935-36 ..	8,853,882	3,629,962	1,157,060	4,066,860	351	351,540	1,501,928	1,853,468	168	2,213,392
1936-37 ..	10,461,366	4,641,471	1,004,291	4,815,604	387	376,853	1,697,932	2,074,785	176	2,740,819
1937-38 ..	11,321,559	4,854,787	1,021,678	5,445,094	413	391,366	1,900,995	2,292,361	183	3,152,733
1938-39 ..	11,158,205	4,613,978	1,145,568	5,398,659	391	435,558	2,044,328	2,479,886	188	2,918,773
1939-40 ..	12,993,294	5,410,648	1,329,617	6,253,029	426	461,759	2,224,389	2,686,148	191	3,566,881
1940-41 ..	13,867,446	6,188,288	1,387,270	6,291,888	397	519,276	2,540,426	3,059,702	201	3,232,186
1941-42 ..	16,311,002	7,460,857	1,635,807	7,214,338	411	606,986	3,113,793	3,720,779	220	3,493,559
1942-43 ..	18,703,930	8,696,382	1,932,097	8,075,451	441	683,136	3,789,680	4,472,816	253	3,602,635
1943-44 ..	20,848,210	9,571,842	2,230,949	9,045,419	457	756,930	4,436,673	5,193,603	271	3,851,816
1944-45 ..	21,356,984	9,967,192	2,487,468	8,902,324	456	782,677	4,225,853	5,008,530	265	3,893,794
1945-46 ..	22,119,305	10,308,135	2,615,513	9,195,657	478	757,408	4,249,103	5,006,511	270	4,189,146
1946-47 ..	24,569,748	11,325,243	2,576,960	10,667,545	535	819,787	4,818,146	5,637,933	294	5,029,612
1947-48 ..	28,784,564	13,655,559	2,884,488	12,244,517	578	954,190	5,911,147	6,865,337	337	5,379,180
1948-49 ..	36,657,036	17,159,334	3,423,100	16,074,602	711	1,140,553	7,315,853	8,456,406	390	7,618,196
1949-50 ..	45,079,959	21,734,035	4,010,337	19,335,587	823	1,292,048	8,354,211	9,646,259	428	9,689,328
1950-51 ..	58,624,484	29,144,774	4,865,347	24,614,363	1,032	1,601,968	10,135,385	11,737,353	514	12,877,010
1951-52 ..	71,926,250	35,902,035	6,230,130	29,794,085	1,240	1,898,873	12,804,642	14,703,515	637	15,090,570
1952-53 ..	71,003,293	33,666,303	6,838,468	30,498,522	1,298	2,182,911	13,793,503	15,976,414	708	14,522,108
1953-54 ..	77,911,086	37,425,685	7,420,686	33,064,715	1,345	2,389,343	14,992,088	17,381,431	735	15,683,284
1954-55 ..	88,600,788	42,465,112	8,021,861	38,113,815	1,497	2,619,814	16,243,818	18,863,632	771	19,250,183

(a) Until 1923-24, only fuel was included; as from 1924-25, costs were extended to include: water (not used as power), lubricating oils, repairs and replacements, and containers and materials used for packing.

(b) Including working proprietors.

(c) Excluding amounts drawn by working proprietors.

(d) Up to 1944-45, salaries and wages relate respectively to the earnings of those included in the columns headed "Managers, Overseers, &c." and "All Other Workers" on page 16. For 1945-46 and subsequent years, amounts paid to foremen and overseers are included under wages.

(e) This figure includes all other costs and overhead expenses such as rent, interest, insurances, pay-roll tax, income tax, depreciation, &c., as well as drawings by working proprietors and profits.

(f) Not available.

(g) Not available separately.

(h) Not available on a comparable basis.

PRODUCTION OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES—1936-37 to 1954-55

Year	FOODSTUFFS							
	Whole Milk (All purposes) (a)	Butter Factory and Farm	Cheese Factory and Farm	Bacon & Ham Factory and Farm	Flour (incl. wheatmeal for baking)	Preserved in Liquid		
						Berry Fruits	Other Fruits	Vegetables
	'000 galls	Tons	Tons	Tons	Short Tons(b)	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.
1936-37 ..	31,156	4,874	1,337	952	19,579	653	2,647	333
1937-38 ..	32,425	5,356	1,683	1,096	19,155	1,091	4,138	216
1938-39 ..	34,829	5,284	1,518	1,015	19,582	918	5,981	187
1939-40 ..	35,396	5,295	1,447	1,292	18,890	1,466	2,496	506
1940-41 ..	32,018	4,730	1,356	913	17,057	492	4,464	850
1941-42 ..	31,150	4,602	1,413	937	20,735	1,154	3,701	628
1942-43 ..	30,418	4,505	1,032	1,238	16,812	1,796	2,533	2,508
1943-44 ..	26,998	3,798	1,111	1,202	17,153	1,119	3,774	2,455
1944-45 ..	28,728	4,091	1,181	1,190	22,534	1,369	2,668	9,644
1945-46 ..	30,044	4,314	1,189	1,254	22,657	962	2,128	12,348
1946-47 ..	31,107	4,603	1,163	1,191	21,695	1,421	2,305	7,722
1947-48 ..	31,994	4,829	459	1,317	23,753	1,426	2,613	4,667
1948-49 ..	34,811	5,209	410	1,122	26,484	2,073	2,439	3,867
1949-50 ..	36,886	5,525	421	990	27,243	2,478	3,498	4,153
1950-51 ..	39,228	6,073	412	946	27,336	3,043	4,763	5,580
1951-52 ..	42,189	6,506	408	758	27,745	6,312	4,897	13,153
1952-53 ..	41,139	6,372	266	818	28,274	2,388	2,910	9,878
1953-54 ..	47,642	7,533	294	949	30,413	2,389	1,663	4,742
1954-55 ..	52,021	8,570	274	1,027	29,803	1,393	3,840	7,463

Year	Foodstuffs (cont'd)		Refined Metals		Chemicals, &c.		Miscellaneous	
	PieApple (inc. Solid Pack)	Fruit Pulp	Cathode Copper	Zinc	Sulphuric Acid	Super- phosphate	Newsprint	Electricity
	'000 lb.	cwt.	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	'000 K.W.H.
1936-37 ..	3,672	79,454	13,325	70,082	11,515	22,344	—	522,491
1937-38 ..	4,367	69,801	13,420	69,718	13,154	26,848	—	542,766
1938-39 ..	2,313	86,895	12,675	69,825	14,158	30,086	—	566,691
1939-40 ..	6,677	86,770	13,298	72,843	14,322	32,810	—	612,400
1940-41 ..	8,309	103,545	11,752	75,401	14,357	29,233	4,480	666,678
1941-42 ..	8,768	122,115	11,419	75,685	11,917	16,691	20,094	722,503
1942-43 ..	10,611	142,886	11,445	77,006	13,668	18,374	20,862	765,183
1943-44 ..	10,528	199,578	11,077	80,599	14,492	23,236	25,691	795,092
1944-45 ..	9,270	221,112	10,033	79,339	14,885	28,069	23,988	796,150
1945-46 ..	12,569	107,892	7,697	80,458	15,671	35,511	27,508	814,812
1946-47 ..	10,368	113,567	8,143	70,314	16,774	30,381	29,501	796,995
1947-48 ..	11,233	174,292	8,208	75,396	16,884	33,590	31,335	872,679
1948-49 ..	16,724	146,918	6,515	82,669	26,873	45,508	30,260	976,464
1949-50 ..	15,699	133,442	4,414	83,777	42,072	68,838	30,472	1,061,639
1950-51 ..	20,996	149,488	7,184	77,733	36,352	50,765	30,967	1,077,733
1951-52 ..	13,003	124,011	6,907	84,128	41,870	67,246	32,648	1,145,500
1952-53 ..	6,261	103,943	8,623	86,177	43,345	64,377	34,010	1,263,535
1953-54 ..	12,109	82,013	8,769	99,154	53,828	74,144	60,406	1,471,421
1954-55 ..	8,194	98,309	8,870	100,459	69,560	75,817	73,608	1,589,016

Year	BUILDING MATERIALS							
	Timber—Sawn, Peeled or Sliced		Dressed Timber (c)			Earthenware Bricks	Portland Cement	Fibrous Plaster Sheets
	Hardwood	Softwood	Floorboards	Weather- boards	Other			
	'000 Sup. ft.	'000 Sup. ft.	'000 Sup. ft.	'000 Sup. ft.	'000 Sup. ft.	'000	Tons	Sq. yds.
1936-37 ..	80,206	1,122	(d)	(d)	(d)	14,781	84,386	66,508
1937-38 ..	84,205	1,362	2,921	2,732	1,076	14,853	82,203	93,079
1938-39 ..	83,499	1,529	5,124	1,911	1,165	14,541	89,876	120,678
1939-40 ..	78,503	1,883	8,897	2,616	1,405	13,289	93,444	144,878
1940-41 ..	82,843	3,199	11,277	3,423	2,219	11,730	83,036	157,115
1941-42 ..	90,940	4,066	12,957	2,969	2,564	11,169	60,959	156,804
1942-43 ..	92,130	3,015	9,595	2,546	2,465	4,981	46,515	55,869
1943-44 ..	78,841	2,055	6,730	1,705	3,642	1,110	38,939	60,317
1944-45 ..	80,050	3,725	5,445	1,297	4,580	5,962	43,763	80,267
1945-46 ..	86,708	3,871	4,940	1,684	4,744	8,587	67,388	124,785
1946-47 ..	97,952	4,496	6,925	2,959	6,622	9,997	87,556	200,120
1947-48 ..	105,754	3,954	7,845	2,952	6,655	12,449	88,450	217,079
1948-49 ..	115,914	3,789	8,275	2,665	6,785	13,363	88,044	263,812
1949-50 ..	122,750	3,603	9,226	3,823	6,835	13,323	92,688	304,820
1950-51 ..	120,408	3,860	8,174	3,479	6,350	12,067	90,508	373,361
1951-52 ..	121,615	4,515	8,614	3,254	7,485	11,822	101,717	475,223
1952-53 ..	107,782	2,126	9,538	3,285	6,008	12,606	114,331	368,325
1953-54 ..	115,536	2,735	14,649	3,578	8,520	15,780	124,338	425,016
1954-55 ..	137,241	3,143	17,636	4,004	8,750	17,592	114,623	478,738

(a) Including milk used in production of butter, cheese and condensery products.
(b) Short Ton of 2,000 lb.
(c) Produced, in the main, from sawn, peeled and sliced timber shown in preceding columns.
(d) Not available.
NOTE: Details of certain other major products (e.g. carbide, confectionery, &c.) are not available for publication.

NEW BUILDING CONSTRUCTION
VALUE of Permits Issued and Construction, 1946-47 to 1955-56
Unit: £'000

Year	Building Permits Issued During Year (a)			Commenced During Year (b)			Completed During Year (b)			Under Construction at 30th June (b)		
	Private	Government	Total	Houses	Other Buildings	Total	Houses	Other Buildings	Total	Houses	Other Buildings	Total
1946-47 ..	2,634	729	3,363	1,854	864	2,718	1,137	280	1,417	1,802	957	2,759
1947-48 ..	3,509	670	4,179	2,603	1,004	3,607	1,741	538	2,279	2,742	1,404	4,146
1948-49 ..	4,864	1,007	5,871	3,937	1,434	5,371	2,992	818	3,810	3,802	2,070	5,872
1949-50 ..	6,124	2,246	8,370	5,839	2,540	8,379	4,185	1,157	5,342	5,652	3,338	8,990
1950-51 ..	7,977	2,870	10,847	7,473	2,863	10,336	6,726	1,677	8,403	7,090	5,088	12,178
1951-52 ..	7,496	2,525	10,021	7,651	3,412	11,063	8,167	2,344	10,511	7,220	6,550	13,770
1952-53 ..	6,549	1,443	7,992	5,322	1,289	6,611	7,590	3,075	10,665	5,298	5,196	10,494
1953-54 ..	8,168	2,655	10,823	6,615	2,609	9,224	6,727	2,965	9,692	5,630	6,152	11,782
1954-55 ..	9,008	3,798	12,806	7,312	3,524	10,836	6,412	4,237	10,649	6,691	5,708	12,399
1955-56 ..	9,874	2,557	12,431	6,812	3,077	9,889	7,391	5,407	12,798	6,391	3,473	9,864

(a) Includes new dwellings, other buildings and alterations and additions. (b) Excludes alterations and additions.

HOUSES: Permits Issued and Construction, 1946-47 to 1955-56

Year	Permits Issued to Erect Houses				Houses Commenced During Year		Houses Completed During Year		Houses Under Construction At 30th June	
	Private		Government							
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
		£'000		£'000		£'000		£'000		£'000
1946-47	1,874	1,955	268	286	1,642	1,854	1,070	1,137	1,557	1,802
1947-48	2,251	2,721	236	287	2,062	2,603	1,544	1,741	2,065	2,742
1948-49	2,650	3,622	333	442	2,849	3,937	2,287	2,992	2,575	3,802
1949-50	2,729	4,361	820	1,209	3,664	5,839	2,852	4,185	3,357	5,652
1950-51	3,192	6,078	979	1,502	4,122	7,473	3,914	6,726	3,558	7,090
1951-52	2,462	5,312	769	1,522	3,584	7,651	3,999	8,167	3,143	7,220
1952-53	1,931	4,403	371	829	2,285	5,322	3,314	7,590	2,114	5,298
1953-54	2,000	4,931	559	1,461	2,665	6,615	2,630	6,727	2,149	5,630
1954-55	2,027	5,355	673	1,761	2,867	7,312	2,480	6,412	2,536	6,691
1955-56	2,126	5,877	529	1,475	2,490	6,812	2,721	7,391	2,305	6,391

HOUSES, Completed According to Material of Outer Walls (a), 1946-47 to 1955-56

Year	Brick, Brick Veneer, Concrete, &c.		Wood (Weatherboard, &c.)		Fibro-Cement		Other Materials		Total New Houses	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
		£'000		£'000		£'000		£'000		£'000
1946-47	296	412	756	710	14	12	4	3	1,070	1,137
1947-48	373	590	1,127	1,114	41	32	3	5	1,544	1,741
1948-49	534	977	1,606	1,900	140	110	7	5	2,287	2,992
1949-50	722	1,453	1,955	2,570	165	150	10	12	2,852	4,185
1950-51	959	2,244	2,741	4,260	208	212	6	10	3,914	6,726
1951-52	982	2,690	2,697	5,021	312	439	8	17	3,999	8,167
1952-53	876	2,675	2,189	4,506	247	404	2	5	3,314	7,590
1953-54	632	2,171	1,879	4,365	119	191	—	—	2,630	6,727
1954-55	515	1,726	1,898	4,576	67	110	—	—	2,480	6,412
1955-56	685	2,378	1,934	4,862	102	151	—	—	2,721	7,391

(a) Includes owner-built houses.

NOTE: All values shown exclude cost of land and represent estimated value of buildings on completion.

NEW BUILDING CONSTRUCTION—*continued*
OTHER New Buildings Completed, 1946-47 to 1955-56

Year	Flats		Shops, with or without Dwellings		Hotels, Boarding Houses, &c.		Factories		Other New Buildings		Total
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	Value
		£'000		£'000		£'000		£'000		£'000	£'000
1946-47	21	17	24	21	1	4	21	51	—	187	280
1947-48	3	5	29	39	4	17	42	310	—	167	538
1948-49	25	29	53	62	5	107	36	334	—	286	818
1949-50	24	28	55	101	10	85	63	563	—	380	1,157
1950-51	18	28	62	144	2	26	48	701	461	778	1,677
1951-52	21	40	74	214	8	115	49	705	333	1,270	2,344
1952-53	14	36	48	140	10	470	37	516	273	1,913	3,075
1953-54	13	33	47	186	5	210	34	1,035	218	1,501	2,965
1954-55	48	134	69	398	2	59	15	562	277	3,084	4,237
1955-56	49	178	50	407	5	73	51	2,191	359	2,558	5,407

VALUE of Work Done on New Buildings, 1951-52 to 1955-56

Year	New Houses		Other New Buildings		All Buildings
	£'000	%	£'000	%	£'000
1951-52 ..	8,180	68.9	3,695	31.1	11,875
1952-53 ..	7,048	68.7	3,214	31.3	10,262
1953-54 ..	6,918	67.9	3,277	32.1	10,195
1954-55 ..	7,020	65.0	3,782	35.0	10,802
1955-56 ..	7,355	65.8	3,829	34.2	11,184

WORKERS (including Working Contractors and Sub-Contractors) engaged on Building as at 30th June (a)

At 30th June	Occupation								Grade of Occupation			
	Carpenters	Bricklayers	Painters	Electricians	Plumbers	Builders' Labourers	Other	Total	Contractors	Sub-Contractors	Wage-Earners	Total
1947 ..	1,750	257	214	123	150	721	424	3,639	578	297	2,764	3,639
1948 ..	2,048	284	248	137	206	770	603	4,296	716	375	3,205	4,296
1949 ..	2,699	370	288	161	238	1,172	642	5,570	913	421	4,236	5,570
1950 ..	3,152	402	360	208	266	1,303	739	6,430	1,159	506	4,765	6,430
1951 ..	3,605	536	467	226	312	1,603	771	7,520	1,153	675	5,692	7,520
1952 ..	2,933	429	379	170	270	1,313	523	6,017	1,000	469	4,548	6,017
1953 ..	2,994	396	400	190	261	1,133	556	5,930	810	567	4,553	5,930
1954 ..	2,783	362	353	166	260	1,089	563	5,576	847	494	4,235	5,576
1955 ..	3,169	453	465	227	343	1,290	707	6,654	918	711	5,025	6,654
1956 ..	2,622	383	412	201	308	949	495	5,370	845	643	3,882	5,370

(a) Includes estimate for number of persons working on owner-built houses, but excludes principals and their employees engaged *solely* on alterations and additions to buildings.
Note: All values shown exclude value of land and represent estimated value of buildings on completion.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF TASMANIA

TRADE — 1824 to 1955-56

Year	VALUE OF IMPORTS				VALUE OF EXPORTS			
	By Sea		By Air	Total	By Sea		By Air	Total
	Oversea	Interstate	Interstate		Oversea	Interstate	Interstate	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1824	(a)	(a)	—	62,000	(a)	(a)	—	14,500
1825	(a)	(a)	—	88,161	(a)	(a)	—	23,837
1830	(a)	(a)	—	255,298	(a)	(a)	—	145,980
1835	(a)	(a)	—	583,646	(a)	(a)	—	320,679
1840	(a)	(a)	—	988,356	(a)	(a)	—	867,007
1845	(a)	(a)	—	520,562	(a)	(a)	—	422,218
1850	(a)	(a)	—	658,540	(a)	(a)	—	613,850
1855	(a)	(a)	—	1,559,797	(a)	(a)	—	1,428,629
1860	843,394	225,017	—	1,068,411	771,680	190,490	—	962,170
1865	556,250	206,125	—	762,375	697,410	183,555	—	880,965
1870	348,558	444,358	—	792,916	280,385	368,324	—	648,709
1875	581,893	604,049	—	1,185,942	608,109	477,867	—	1,085,976
1880	369,192	1,000,031	—	1,369,223	783,604	728,327	—	1,511,931
1885	849,931	907,555	—	1,757,486	242,050	1,071,643	—	1,313,693
1890	796,591	1,100,921	—	1,897,512	395,986	1,091,006	—	1,486,992
1891	741,748	1,310,216	—	2,051,964	411,551	1,029,267	—	1,440,818
1892	589,578	907,583	—	1,497,161	346,473	1,000,492	—	1,346,965
1893	367,573	690,110	—	1,057,683	317,073	1,035,111	—	1,352,184
1894	339,154	640,522	—	979,676	250,457	1,238,584	—	1,489,041
1895	328,380	766,077	—	1,094,457	232,324	1,140,739	—	1,373,063
1896	418,750	773,660	—	1,192,410	199,537	1,297,039	—	1,496,576
1897	498,622	868,986	—	1,367,608	308,159	1,436,302	—	1,744,461
1898	555,114	1,094,904	—	1,650,018	479,632	1,323,737	—	1,803,369
1899	577,546	1,191,778	—	1,769,324	1,419,654	1,177,821	—	2,597,475
1900	701,105	1,372,552	—	2,073,657	1,538,788	1,071,829	—	2,610,617
1901	811,198	1,154,001	—	1,965,199	1,664,040	1,281,717	—	2,945,757
1902	732,616	1,710,129	—	2,442,745	1,443,675	1,800,833	—	3,244,508
1903	791,705	1,802,105	—	2,593,810	1,296,670	1,546,438	—	2,843,108
1904	795,559	1,758,895	—	2,554,454	631,050	2,358,550	—	2,989,600
1905	738,117	1,913,637	—	2,651,754	472,175	3,239,441	—	3,711,616
1906	759,105	2,271,409	—	3,030,514	451,998	3,300,503	—	3,752,501
1907	827,174	2,421,019	—	3,248,193	507,995	3,568,958	—	4,076,953
1908	837,494	2,534,368	—	3,371,862	543,722	3,487,044	—	4,030,766
1909	742,019	2,387,854	—	3,129,873	427,468	3,003,782	—	3,431,250
1910	831,137	(b)	—	(a)	520,495	(b)	—	(a)
1911	816,806	(b)	—	(a)	635,223	(b)	—	(a)
1912	1,009,198	(b)	—	(a)	507,414	(b)	—	(a)
1913	1,025,081	(b)	—	(a)	522,865	(b)	—	(a)
1914-15 ..	811,255	(b)	—	(a)	426,252	(b)	—	(a)
1915-16 ..	982,849	(b)	—	(a)	612,119	(b)	—	(a)
1916-17 ..	1,161,576	(b)	—	(a)	898,511	(b)	—	(a)
1917-18 ..	489,249	(b)	—	(a)	951,566	(b)	—	(a)
1918-19 ..	608,790	(b)	—	(a)	1,002,093	(b)	—	(a)
1919-20 ..	813,341	(b)	—	(a)	2,010,503	(b)	—	(a)
1920-21 ..	2,264,933	(b)	—	(a)	1,329,583	(b)	—	(a)
1921-22 ..	1,385,951	(b)	—	(a)	2,067,443	(b)	—	(a)
1922-23 ..	1,588,063	7,515,491	—	9,103,554	2,421,135	5,563,430	—	7,984,565
1923-24 ..	1,817,304	7,991,349	—	9,808,653	2,674,905	6,168,322	—	8,843,227
1924-25 ..	1,681,059	7,127,401	—	8,808,460	3,306,246	5,541,927	—	8,848,173
1925-26 ..	1,518,210	6,932,583	—	8,450,793	2,578,851	6,132,004	—	8,710,855
1926-27 ..	1,732,905	7,673,368	—	9,406,273	2,476,853	6,960,518	—	9,437,371
1927-28 ..	1,640,826	7,887,940	—	9,528,766	3,128,550	6,832,367	—	9,960,917
1928-29 ..	1,765,053	7,470,193	—	9,235,246	2,744,442	7,018,914	—	9,763,356
1929-30 ..	1,834,530	8,013,572	—	9,848,102	2,488,575	6,599,439	—	9,088,014
1930-31 ..	790,817	6,438,849	—	7,229,666	2,106,789	4,877,167	—	6,983,956
1931-32 ..	564,952	5,968,950	—	6,533,902	2,052,825	4,990,139	—	7,042,964
1932-33 ..	564,531	6,231,574	—	6,796,105	1,790,430	4,895,268	—	6,685,698
1933-34 ..	637,229	6,790,706	—	7,427,935	2,383,340	5,126,460	—	7,509,800
1934-35 ..	737,441	7,226,139	—	7,963,580	2,158,795	5,922,609	—	8,081,404
1935-36 ..	1,249,131	8,566,835	—	9,815,966	2,751,181	6,557,469	—	9,308,650
1936-37 ..	1,293,409	9,428,880	—	10,722,289	3,410,662	7,188,014	—	10,598,676
1937-38 ..	1,928,718	9,926,803	—	11,855,521	2,887,183	8,249,446	—	11,136,629
1938-39 ..	1,419,190	10,082,392	—	11,501,582	3,397,930	8,835,222	—	12,233,152
1939-40 ..	1,593,347	10,890,248	—	12,483,595	2,426,235	10,476,992	—	12,903,227
1940-41 ..	1,181,760	10,937,932	—	12,119,692	1,559,664	12,026,589	—	13,586,253
1941-42 ..	958,944	12,138,243	—	13,097,187	1,872,469	14,283,405	—	16,155,874
1942-43 ..	1,150,571	13,117,873	—	14,268,444	884,879	15,340,468	—	16,225,347
1943-44 ..	1,192,715	13,080,749	—	14,273,464	1,148,759	17,644,600	—	18,793,359
1944-45 ..	832,130	13,898,364	—	14,730,494	2,531,127	18,353,872	—	20,884,999
1945-46 ..	1,306,965	14,699,943	—	16,006,908	3,612,217	16,519,944	—	20,132,161
1946-47 ..	1,812,488	18,905,481	—	20,717,969	5,080,858	16,465,839	—	21,546,697
1947-48 ..	4,281,797	21,999,794	—	26,281,591	9,282,900	17,532,941	—	26,815,841
1948-49 ..	6,256,297	23,336,577	—	29,592,874	12,489,898	18,532,080	—	31,021,978
1949-50 ..	9,351,607	25,609,002	(c) 5,335,569	40,296,178	14,968,464	21,335,495	(c) 1,997,774	38,301,733
1950-51 ..	12,529,387	30,317,489	9,163,349	52,010,225	24,527,176	26,870,398	3,195,534	54,323,108
1951-52 ..	20,711,476	38,011,588	10,236,645	68,959,709	18,512,350	35,841,459	3,009,431	57,363,240
1952-53 ..	13,315,552	38,329,548	9,967,605	61,612,705	21,848,408	36,401,415	5,783,704	64,033,527
1953-54 ..	13,048,652	43,719,595	11,081,927	67,850,174	17,733,366	40,743,387	6,790,261	65,267,014
1954-55 ..	15,128,907	44,978,796	9,574,354	69,682,057	18,761,985	42,687,573	7,247,445	68,697,003
1955-56 ..	12,442,312	49,804,011	10,583,127	72,829,450	20,287,833	50,314,989	9,380,748	79,983,570

(a) Not available.
(b) Collection discontinued until 1922-23.
(c) Not collected before 1949-50.

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TRADE (Sea and Air Combined)

Year	PRINCIPAL EXPORTS — 1922-23 to 1955-56							
	Fresh Fruit		Potatoes		Hops		Wool (Greasy) (a)	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
	Bushels	£	Tons	£	lb.	£	lb.	£
1922-23 ..	3,267,768	903,447	74,463	664,804	2,345,728	246,019	8,694,651	778,182
1923-24 ..	2,030,470	581,559	68,429	747,138	2,671,312	280,455	7,008,882	840,486
1924-25 ..	1,932,847	728,501	54,642	345,185	2,163,182	216,593	8,032,644	1,127,815
1925-26 ..	3,268,099	651,581	47,401	598,678	1,780,478	162,969	7,971,197	663,688
1926-27 ..	2,934,364	1,145,197	67,686	621,938	2,177,224	184,554	8,834,512	728,003
1927-28 ..	4,074,990	1,050,328	90,248	622,406	2,783,172	232,799	8,580,655	898,636
1928-29 ..	2,355,833	916,335	73,692	658,954	2,529,702	206,080	10,932,090	977,353
1929-30 ..	3,703,561	820,857	57,484	578,528	1,593,172	143,927	10,053,757	552,017
1930-31 ..	3,673,966	921,796	60,803	315,981	1,654,814	140,855	9,309,828	361,376
1931-32 ..	5,349,926	1,098,399	59,466	375,684	2,232,835	174,712	8,182,073	389,059
1932-33 ..	4,670,917	678,605	68,566	351,861	1,493,070	122,282	9,294,353	462,717
1933-34 ..	4,631,733	805,251	68,812	362,693	1,643,496	121,726	9,339,504	898,836
1934-35 ..	3,970,943	1,130,652	62,002	483,978	1,622,664	131,021	8,974,420	467,839
1935-36 ..	3,932,094	829,661	58,533	490,287	1,739,040	152,009	9,606,589	718,753
1936-37 ..	4,144,495	952,496	75,889	435,118	1,776,893	136,671	8,793,125	829,419
1937-38 ..	4,733,456	1,239,070	83,697	521,096	2,269,920	167,415	9,210,400	595,645
1938-39 ..	5,402,217	1,528,798	77,047	974,288	2,037,120	146,986	11,730,857	622,171
1939-40 ..	3,910,042	1,135,018	117,700	778,874	1,584,240	118,084	9,091,904	688,441
1940-41 ..	1,694,752	481,063	76,552	581,382	1,712,400	133,734	6,678,758	486,490
1941-42 ..	2,155,506	704,105	78,315	811,626	2,207,280	183,872	12,245,861	795,471
1942-43 ..	1,664,890	522,462	69,692	956,205	2,155,920	195,620	6,000,087	436,967
1943-44 ..	1,618,341	645,605	132,408	1,631,328	1,905,120	180,334	5,423,800	431,796
1944-45 ..	1,565,327	662,504	147,937	1,834,389	2,374,944	239,731	14,523,194	1,132,843
1945-46 ..	3,507,162	946,769	163,839	2,122,537	2,714,880	280,994	9,068,345	718,861
1946-47 ..	1,046,331	514,306	123,066	1,517,140	1,679,520	180,699	11,631,425	1,352,617
1947-48 ..	2,916,854	2,102,271	110,673	1,419,776	1,549,680	214,463	9,802,247	2,103,248
1948-49 ..	1,649,169	1,183,082	93,240	1,545,671	1,936,800	277,824	14,032,789	3,379,485
1949-50 ..	2,963,357	2,174,000	84,896	1,651,051	1,767,360	304,950	9,100,500	3,100,663
1950-51 ..	3,386,361	3,413,596	91,470	1,985,151	2,227,680	454,457	(a) 12,007,515	(a) 9,344,317
1951-52 ..	2,958,712	3,704,860	87,119	2,860,155	1,206,000	282,179	14,748,293	4,683,159
1952-53 ..	4,041,644	5,803,711	95,824	3,129,721	1,992,960	535,846	16,850,161	6,014,877
1953-54 ..	4,065,160	5,108,285	80,010	2,905,507	1,391,767	385,288	15,473,743	5,656,879
1954-55 ..	4,112,078	4,505,120	72,938	1,790,445	2,030,640	585,943	17,663,498	6,095,135
1955-56 ..	4,844,944	5,794,554	52,938	2,690,841	2,764,710	852,103	18,491,387	5,569,542

Year	Cathode Copper		Zinc (Ingots)		Woollen Manufactures	Butter	Timber (b)	Ores, Concentrates and Slimes (c)
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Value Only	Value Only	Value Only	Value Only
	Tons	£	Tons	£	£	£	£	£
1922-23 ..	5,638	354,453	31,712	1,042,452	60,361	238,254	463,635	314,035
1923-24 ..	6,589	381,166	43,894	1,387,844	81,749	185,255	598,480	326,872
1924-25 ..	5,826	327,772	44,927	1,573,417	108,027	169,411	569,307	323,231
1925-26 ..	6,348	347,701	43,768	1,589,197	334,834	102,722	545,304	350,501
1926-27 ..	6,628	362,794	41,709	1,402,825	422,369	121,206	495,565	354,153
1927-28 ..	5,515	293,535	55,581	1,580,633	533,130	159,357	356,664	336,142
1928-29 ..	6,887	510,626	45,556	1,235,643	606,584	272,323	342,044	390,394
1929-30 ..	8,101	593,959	47,767	1,159,559	647,348	301,962	340,502	317,483
1930-31 ..	12,333	532,708	56,626	907,077	562,969	313,000	113,463	247,160
1931-32 ..	10,561	354,532	56,449	873,850	779,567	262,753	149,207	205,008
1932-33 ..	10,426	298,600	55,203	902,822	728,664	317,728	224,463	210,769
1933-34 ..	7,898	253,225	52,896	1,011,786	621,807	170,768	318,453	190,042
1934-35 ..	10,959	291,702	56,688	943,974	778,479	261,238	430,858	223,615
1935-36 ..	12,502	420,176	67,297	1,357,263	920,664	300,808	529,189	275,867
1936-37 ..	13,324	648,790	74,386	1,879,019	773,755	299,055	508,982	543,767
1937-38 ..	12,367	504,995	62,763	1,580,200	836,991	364,903	541,073	705,828
1938-39 ..	12,602	568,548	70,817	1,368,026	922,062	360,418	571,110	653,646
1939-40 ..	11,738	708,252	70,909	1,428,302	1,337,323	370,650	618,790	736,833
1940-41 ..	10,238	736,915	71,168	1,433,361	2,163,344	302,840	778,615	603,784
1941-42 ..	11,589	892,617	80,885	1,553,414	2,728,928	279,380	780,904	712,466
1942-43 ..	11,627	1,109,491	64,355	1,421,255	2,390,674	248,618	835,870	899,045
1943-44 ..	10,256	823,232	71,809	1,606,806	2,628,068	168,489	812,326	734,799
1944-45 ..	7,559	712,908	79,660	1,897,249	2,887,316	222,824	621,025	892,370
1945-46 ..	7,842	730,404	74,262	2,106,835	2,287,380	203,038	566,414	633,990
1946-47 ..	9,033	946,611	79,108	2,337,202	2,290,596	344,039	614,220	944,688
1947-48 ..	8,485	1,212,346	65,362	2,452,650	2,823,177	399,242	791,744	1,370,464
1948-49 ..	3,918	621,652	77,424	4,416,291	3,314,980	634,411	1,051,550	1,840,581
1949-50 ..	4,253	738,824	80,704	4,982,440	2,770,367	638,731	1,465,137	2,026,724
1950-51 ..	4,801	1,061,569	79,559	7,526,692	3,385,604	614,503	1,614,775	2,940,259
1951-52 ..	5,368	1,437,190	75,872	9,302,590	3,556,699	633,496	2,213,505	6,038,921
1952-53 ..	7,238	1,985,313	90,111	9,671,297	5,254,403	901,175	2,561,074	5,257,080
1953-54 ..	5,613	1,724,177	96,051	8,611,413	6,885,762	800,428	3,349,988	4,530,782
1954-55 ..	4,818	1,672,952	86,360	8,286,859	6,238,132	1,512,677	3,578,167	5,425,421
1955-56 ..	4,439	1,120,135	99,022	9,943,823	7,337,170	1,731,380	3,284,761	7,393,324

(a) Figures earlier than those for 1950-51 do not include interstate exports.
(b) Includes logs, dressed and undressed timber, palings, staves, shooks and case material.
(c) Tin ore has been excluded to maintain comparability throughout.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF TASMANIA

TRANSPORT — SHIPPING ENTERED AND CLEARED — TASMANIAN PORTS
Number and Net Tonnage of Vessels Entered and Cleared—1830 to 1954-55

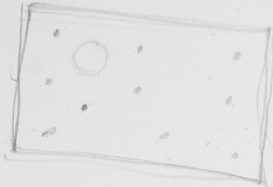
Year	OVERSEA AND INTERSTATE (a)				OVERSEA, INTERSTATE AND COASTWISE (b)							
	ALL TASMANIAN PORTS				PRINCIPAL PORTS—VESSELS ENTERED							
	Entered		Cleared		Hobart		Launceston		Burnie		Devonport	
	No.	Tons	No.	Tons	No.	Tons	No.	Tons	No.	Tons	No.	Tons
1830 ..	101	26,582	92	25,045	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
1840 ..	492	85,081	506	66,701	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
1850 ..	674	104,017	702	108,848	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
1860 ..	806	116,172	818	118,243	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
1870 ..	613	105,647	611	107,263	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
1880 ..	654	205,217	655	208,086	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
1890 ..	746	475,618	763	475,629	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
1900 ..	741	618,963	743	613,955	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
1901 ..	816	706,044	820	726,681	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
1902 ..	964	887,485	944	879,730	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
1903 ..	928	938,371	927	935,802	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
1904 ..	944	1,050,182	956	1,042,399	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
1905 ..	961	1,056,256	955	1,063,153	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
1906 ..	961	1,058,956	950	1,052,096	506	684,313	620	243,875	395	148,280	430	188,593
1907 ..	1,017	1,154,273	1,005	1,153,242	645	766,583	654	245,789	627	250,551	453	209,563
1908 ..	1,034	1,292,169	1,015	1,290,870	765	868,412	598	273,018	682	297,355	470	236,164
1909 ..	994	1,215,002	997	1,211,214	746	788,065	580	267,490	680	318,653	472	235,635
1910 ..	979	1,210,540	977	1,216,064	701	809,846	480	260,390	706	324,121	383	221,273
1911 ..	986	1,294,798	984	1,292,639	652	862,746	470	268,626	707	333,717	369	230,555
1912 ..	1,009	1,321,800	1,007	1,322,496	682	859,701	527	270,594	695	356,499	360	224,186
1913 ..	1,003	1,338,118	1,000	1,328,004	656	850,424	542	302,362	560	331,317	336	225,001
1914-15 ..	1,004	1,178,997	1,005	1,181,458	562	709,107	559	273,108	556	324,231	383	259,994
1915-16 ..	951	1,057,395	947	1,048,514	608	647,933	515	234,904	507	308,305	335	221,451
1916-17 ..	792	754,042	797	766,034	(c)	(c)	362	192,407	413	267,714	279	219,649
1917-18 ..	818	604,732	819	600,390	(c)	(c)	342	158,751	447	271,553	266	180,641
1918-19 ..	710	476,953	734	490,644	515	251,139	357	149,588	370	188,591	237	146,741
1919-20 ..	841	632,058	836	628,090	582	341,006	379	156,621	358	189,445	285	165,460
1920-21 ..	1,059	813,399	1,085	811,744	608	429,022	440	209,240	464	273,611	397	228,432
1921-22 ..	1,106	1,073,776	1,098	1,068,561	531	542,746	544	318,823	560	382,275	425	321,587
1922-23 ..	1,216	1,193,427	1,226	1,200,906	604	589,248	551	382,315	596	461,697	445	359,317
1923-24 ..	1,250	1,383,987	1,238	1,373,199	646	757,078	510	405,400	552	449,792	440	387,104
1924-25 ..	1,144	1,288,636	1,149	1,273,857	607	737,633	471	380,881	504	399,909	336	326,511
1925-26 ..	1,068	1,313,186	1,060	1,316,811	534	762,845	462	382,448	446	361,111	317	306,622
1926-27 ..	1,072	1,367,833	1,057	1,360,786	590	808,534	412	369,082	436	371,516	309	313,067
1927-28 ..	1,118	1,469,516	1,115	1,488,685	596	885,639	440	426,944	444	383,060	324	306,963
1928-29 ..	1,028	1,234,589	1,030	1,252,153	556	742,378	432	360,336	440	368,735	342	277,639
1929-30 ..	1,076	1,390,065	1,081	1,390,751	586	891,368	453	389,275	437	374,007	323	268,135
1930-31 ..	992	1,318,633	1,003	1,341,458	453	767,592	436	383,442	418	361,265	333	303,822
1931-32 ..	980	1,306,625	992	1,309,400	549	817,171	442	358,382	413	352,223	303	265,001
1932-33 ..	1,030	1,461,220	1,028	1,445,264	614	896,116	457	410,197	429	392,612	339	322,243
1933-34 ..	1,066	1,546,984	1,065	1,578,479	580	976,383	487	401,047	436	393,979	376	346,054
1934-35 ..	1,128	1,610,144	1,129	1,619,419	608	991,319	467	393,487	446	395,068	390	363,740
1935-36 ..	1,191	1,976,896	1,225	2,006,239	632	1,076,761	397	374,320	461	663,471	473	490,665
1936-37 ..	1,317	2,092,947	1,348	2,124,687	624	1,139,593	456	499,527	529	673,963	473	430,118
1937-38 ..	1,377	2,202,298	1,440	2,211,473	580	1,079,916	438	456,959	614	836,443	490	466,699
1938-39 ..	1,384	2,230,587	1,399	2,276,766	612	1,153,143	485	507,531	586	784,873	492	476,071
1939-40 ..	1,243	1,512,435	1,257	1,532,781	435	720,000	453	440,000	522	530,000	449	429,000
1940-41 ..	1,147	1,264,274	1,187	1,279,524	443	520,000	433	370,000	512	460,000	423	396,000
1941-42 ..	1,031	1,030,250	1,030	1,038,672	380	420,000	368	250,000	445	400,000	351	346,000
1942-43 ..	873	759,808	879	772,275	374	370,000	287	149,370	339	293,677	296	280,447
1943-44 ..	804	795,856	818	761,086	454	1,121,384	220	142,702	292	276,305	267	265,758
1944-55 ..	760	732,271	755	735,960	251	409,974	272	156,423	228	229,176	282	294,678
1954-46 ..	728	833,179	735	833,504	232	342,748	275	176,036	164	214,780	170	182,201
1946-47 ..	751	956,734	774	978,803	271	447,528	289	262,153	134	159,675	168	177,164
1947-48 ..	787	1,106,103	791	1,088,997	269	511,997	316	292,179	129	188,087	150	182,007
1948-49 ..	805	1,125,243	819	1,112,755	284	563,970	313	282,037	125	205,583	142	185,805
1949-50 ..	862	1,182,872	918	1,196,378	239	633,850	285	259,280	194	255,310	170	189,891
1950-51 ..	905	1,279,031	920	1,280,845	265	673,191	287	281,636	188	231,227	220	182,450
1951-52 ..	902	1,323,498	896	1,287,750	277	717,017	332	320,741	174	234,271	142	190,213
1952-53 ..	1,012	1,479,849	1,039	1,534,562	329	826,661	426	394,659	217	297,774	182	228,695
1953-54 ..	1,060	1,507,513	1,052	1,483,315	345	803,296	368	458,663	215	289,510	239	244,703
1954-55 ..	1,081	1,619,692	1,061	1,589,394	332	840,104	368	461,458	218	335,087	255	217,000

(a) The figures in these four columns do not take into account coastal movement of shipping. Ships are recorded as entries at the first Tasmanian port of call only, and as clearances only from the last port of call in Tasmania.
(b) The total shipping of each port is recorded; included are (1) Vessels direct from Oversea, (2) Vessels from Mainland Ports, (3) Vessels from other Tasmanian Ports.
(c) Not available.

TRANSPORT — Government Railways, 1880 to 1955-56

Year	OPERATION						FINANCE			
	Miles Open	Train Miles Run	No. of Passenger Journeys	Total Passenger Miles	Goods and Livestock carried	Goods Ton-Miles	Cost of Construction and Equipment	Gross Revenue	Working Expenses	Net Revenue (b)
	Miles	No.	No.	'000	Tons	'000	£	£	£	£
1880 (a) ..	45	112,021	102,918	—	20,762	—	435,595	23,560	17,456	6,104
1885 (a) ..	86	172,562	158,723	—	29,329	—	668,263	31,064	36,419	— 5,355
1890 (a) ..	351	552,689	464,064	—	141,327	—	2,900,362	106,232	86,220	20,012
1895 ..	420	727,577	526,814	—	204,480	—	3,521,956	149,642	120,351	29,291
1900 ..	439	815,903	683,015	—	308,453	—	3,659,069	202,959	160,487	42,472
1904-05 ..	463	945,852	823,911	—	393,838	—	3,920,508	243,556	171,630	71,926
1905-06 ..	463	945,918	860,519	—	399,487	—	3,926,713	241,188	172,601	68,587
1906-07 ..	463	981,379	951,823	—	428,387	—	3,943,359	258,223	185,500	72,723
1907-08 ..	463	1,028,030	1,439,095	—	465,186	—	3,977,611	277,606	201,817	75,789
1908-09 ..	463	1,029,119	1,547,016	—	467,417	—	4,003,839	280,036	204,127	75,909
1909-10 ..	470	1,059,790	1,650,455	—	439,556	—	4,048,416	284,063	211,677	72,386
1910-11 ..	473	1,041,051	1,682,386	—	363,678	—	4,079,831	277,916	215,530	62,386
1911-12 ..	497	1,046,479	1,715,464	—	469,855	—	4,253,013	312,786	221,172	91,614
1912-13 ..	508	1,006,508	1,649,539	—	464,934	—	4,400,292	327,113	217,357	109,756
1913-14 ..	519	1,000,740	1,708,334	—	408,864	—	4,496,634	330,168	222,713	107,455
1914-15 ..	533	1,005,145	1,750,905	—	408,069	—	4,628,911	323,265	225,995	97,270
1915-16 ..	562	1,051,511	2,078,228	—	388,782	—	4,798,646	348,028	248,651	99,377
1916-17 ..	581	1,080,459	1,971,888	—	401,076	—	4,913,395	340,505	289,186	51,319
1917-18 ..	588	1,056,373	1,874,029	—	407,405	—	4,979,399	356,735	277,952	78,783
1918-19 ..	601	1,107,890	1,889,102	—	472,926	—	5,076,014	401,364	324,595	76,769
1919-20 ..	629	1,266,625	2,267,856	—	575,169	—	5,240,276	506,177	390,191	115,986
1920-21 ..	630	1,387,417	2,687,837	—	672,127	—	5,383,192	600,045	476,187	123,858
1921-22 ..	637	1,379,061	2,757,702	—	621,751	—	5,753,381	588,297	538,066	50,231
1922-23 ..	663	1,395,414	2,884,210	—	568,346	—	6,199,725	572,417	514,350	58,067
1923-24 ..	673	1,386,342	2,959,887	—	706,961	—	6,374,784	585,468	552,887	32,591
1924-25 ..	673	1,358,980	2,656,018	—	690,561	—	6,416,194	548,256	531,590	16,666
1925-26 ..	673	1,342,475	2,455,824	—	694,194	—	6,450,185	545,191	504,038	41,153
1926-27 ..	658	1,303,023	2,328,970	—	730,273	—	6,486,109	539,352	551,192	— 11,840
1927-28 ..	658	1,416,741	2,322,410	—	715,387	—	6,483,281	554,743	573,885	— 19,142
1928-29 ..	653	1,405,929	2,212,817	—	660,523	—	6,494,003	503,855	563,652	— 59,797
1929-30 ..	679	1,504,487	2,243,265	35,257	632,052	(f) 33,715	6,534,186	507,374	535,414	— 28,040
1930-31 ..	665	1,251,102	1,852,145	28,646	466,153	(f) 27,253	6,549,965	400,176	448,838	— 48,662
1931-32 ..	645	1,130,122	1,680,897	27,158	449,039	(f) 26,690	6,561,429	381,283	386,929	— 5,646
1932-33 ..	645	1,107,800	1,678,483	26,795	510,585	(f) 27,246	6,560,434	381,483	373,762	7,721
1933-34 ..	645	1,134,129	1,789,329	27,960	560,611	(f) 27,623	6,561,937	390,903	385,383	5,520
1934-35 ..	645	1,230,034	2,133,541	31,094	678,227	(f) 30,671	6,587,891	399,764	471,994	— 72,180
1935-36 ..	645	1,659,021	2,321,823	32,911	769,841	(f) 37,837	6,672,329	448,614	560,990	—112,376
1936-37 ..	651	1,864,167	2,331,516	34,653	823,792	(f) 41,151	6,203,045	478,666	620,084	—141,418
1937-38 ..	651	1,932,308	2,266,576	32,917	856,534	(f) 37,916	2,106,081	464,554	676,408	—211,854
1938-39 ..	658	1,906,553	2,296,707	35,193	843,501	(f) 38,088	2,140,330	486,927	677,695	—190,768
1939-40 ..	644	2,064,294	2,412,307	37,269	879,201	(f) 42,265	2,155,261	536,105	687,417	—151,312
1940-41 ..	642	2,167,363	2,792,090	48,172	955,522	(f) 48,784	2,248,034	600,109	757,272	—157,163
1941-42 ..	642	2,176,346	3,145,729	56,757	1,023,560	(f) 54,030	2,348,784	686,056	854,217	—168,161
1942-43 ..	642	2,217,394	3,323,685	68,767	981,578	(f) 55,307	2,497,290	842,666	964,443	—121,777
1943-44 ..	642	2,185,332	3,130,880	58,302	977,824	55,445	2,765,041	871,081	1,136,393	—265,312
1944-45 ..	642	2,201,179	3,260,537	58,801	924,030	54,942	2,943,916	900,074	1,166,923	—266,849
1945-46 ..	642	2,229,480	3,413,829	60,798	879,909	60,451	3,067,800	927,459	1,208,883	—281,424
1946-47 ..	641	2,244,827	3,252,508	52,177	896,174	63,586	3,150,600	892,734	1,253,091	—360,357
1947-48 ..	614	2,211,685	2,974,062	45,793	817,532	65,144	2,930,859	957,950	1,454,833	—496,883
1948-49 ..	614	2,224,992	3,294,653	35,319	801,987	67,327	3,258,400	1,049,721	1,612,594	—562,873
1949-50 ..	613	2,080,151	3,230,482	38,057	770,266	67,738	3,396,792	1,048,974	1,727,974	—679,000
1950-51 ..	613	2,071,201	3,182,343	38,200	861,295	79,915	4,615,178	1,336,515	2,009,388	—672,873
1951-52 ..	613	2,091,767	3,186,509	38,539	888,618	88,696	6,078,635	1,797,543	2,567,128	—769,585
1952-53 ..	613	1,989,995	3,151,233	36,039	896,798	83,689	7,268,347	2,049,410	2,762,920	—623,510
1953-54 ..	613	1,897,896	3,284,978	37,751	967,906	87,533	7,615,131	2,142,953	2,651,677	—508,724
1954-55 ..	613	2,066,420	3,114,229	35,866	1,040,865	96,178	8,100,585	2,332,309	2,867,524	—535,215
1955-56 ..	594	2,105,145	2,977,078	33,096	1,075,141	101,210	8,413,390	2,534,766	3,037,950	—503,184

(a) Operations of the Tasmanian Main Line Railway Coy. Ltd. which completed the Hobart-Launceston line (122 miles) in 1876, are excluded until 1890 the year in which the line was taken over by the Tasmanian Government Railways.
(b) Difference between Gross Revenue and Working Expenses; the latter includes an allowance for depreciation but excludes loan charges.
(c) As from 1921-22, 'Train Miles Run' excludes 'Assistant and Light Mileages'.
(d) As from 1935-36, 'Train Miles Run' is widened to include Steam and Petrol Rail Car Mileages.
(e) The capital indebtedness of the Railways was reduced by £4,378,000 from 1st July, 1936, by transfer of the annual charges on this sum as a debit against Consolidated Revenue.
(f) Excludes livestock until 1943-44.



TRANSPORT—Trams, Trolley Buses and Omnibuses (a): Hobart and Launceston
1945-46 to 1955-56

Year	OPERATION					FINANCE			
	Total Route Open for Traffic	Hobart		Launceston		Capital Cost	Revenue (c)	Expendi- ture (d)	Surplus(+) or Deficit (—)
		Car Miles Run	Passenger Journeys	Car Miles Run	Passenger Journeys				
		Daily Average	Daily Average	Daily Average	Daily Average				
	Miles					£	£	£	£
1945-46	57	5,738	71,871	(b)	(b)	779,579	316,968	319,578	— 2,610
1946-47	60	5,857	73,589	2,328	25,343	821,963	334,001	344,092	—10,091
1947-48	64	6,229	73,955	2,383	24,186	891,302	366,784	393,885	—27,101
1948-49	65	6,821	66,082	2,416	24,188	976,830	435,577	430,197	+ 5,380
1949-50	65	5,974	65,500	2,253	21,921	1,234,758	443,958	454,021	—10,063
1950-51	60	5,956	60,100	2,231	20,960	1,406,330	540,726	542,820	— 2,094
1951-52	61	5,726	52,412	2,239	19,117	1,681,339	640,076	623,343	+16,733
1952-53	65	5,854	50,965	2,353	19,127	1,792,944	688,575	699,892	—11,317
1953-54	58	5,744	44,733	2,420	18,121	1,865,205	752,569	727,765	+24,804
1954-55	58	5,640	45,399	2,440	18,036	2,046,014	774,865	749,198	+25,667
1955-56	75	6,588	50,028	2,523	18,006	2,156,076	841,114	845,223	— 4,109

(a) Control was Municipal until the Metropolitan Transport Trust assumed responsibility as from 1st July, 1955.
(b) Not available. (c) Includes rate subsidies and Government Grants. (d) Includes interest and redemption.

TRANSPORT—Motor Vehicle Registrations

Year	Motor Vehicles Registered at End of Year					New Registrations during Year			
	Motor Cars		Commercial Vehicles	Motor Cycles	Total	Motor Cars	Commercial Vehicles	Motor Cycles	Total
	Number	Persons per Motor Car Registered							
1923-24	5,216	41.2	(a)	2,307	7,523	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)
1924-25	5,844	36.6	(b) 829	2,650	9,323	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)
1925-26	7,058	30.0	(c) 1,022	3,016	11,096	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)
1926-27	8,356	25.3	1,230	3,516	13,102	1,832	298	773	2,903
1927-28	9,730	22.0	1,559	3,887	15,176	2,007	453	802	3,262
1928-29	11,361	19.1	1,860	4,373	17,594	1,904	549	928	3,381
1929-30	12,533	17.6	2,198	4,814	19,545	1,627	552	939	3,118
1930-31	12,020	18.6	2,169	4,289	18,478	448	114	333	895
1931-32	11,327	19.9	2,222	3,661	17,210	269	117	76	462
1932-33	11,557	19.7	2,457	3,741	17,755	346	138	149	633
1933-34	12,014	19.0	2,708	3,785	18,507	591	240	140	971
1934-35	12,900	17.8	3,010	3,881	19,791	982	422	171	1,575
1935-36	14,036	16.4	3,639	3,920	21,595	1,485	643	238	2,366
1936-37	15,089	15.5	4,012	3,573	22,674	1,572	620	281	2,473
1937-38	16,648	14.1	4,511	3,646	24,805	1,802	707	287	2,796
1938-39	17,668	13.4	5,036	3,656	26,360	2,010	700	350	3,060
1939-40	17,598	13.6	5,235	3,351	26,184	1,400	540	176	2,116
1940-41	17,343	13.8	5,528	3,183	26,054	553	359	90	1,002
1941-42	14,189	17.0	5,438	2,244	21,871	127	156	13	296
1942-43	15,844	15.3	5,582	2,454	23,880	69	91	3	163
1943-44	16,730	14.7	6,321	2,583	25,634	29	523	—	552
1944-45	17,064	14.6	6,959	2,815	26,838	26	331	1	358
1945-46	17,356	14.5	7,831	3,200	28,387	43	351	73	467
1946-47	18,493	13.9	9,047	3,611	31,151	741	667	472	1,880
1947-48	19,905	13.1	10,239	4,101	34,245	1,541	1,084	621	3,246
1948-49	22,485	11.9	11,659	4,709	38,853	2,611	1,202	812	4,625
1949-50	25,291	10.9	12,928	4,941	43,160	3,311	1,565	886	5,762
1950-51	28,833	9.9	15,068	5,272	49,173	4,187	2,319	960	7,466
1951-52	32,548	9.1	16,817	5,739	55,104	4,267	2,073	938	7,278
1952-53	35,431	8.6	19,391	5,723	60,545	3,368	1,724	474	5,566
1953-45	39,973	7.7	19,740	5,649	65,362	4,718	1,896	450	7,064
1954-55	44,879	7.0	20,891	5,306	71,076	5,738	2,285	417	8,440
1955-56	48,969	6.5	22,384	4,800	76,153	5,457	2,179	332	7,968

(a) Included with Motor Cars. (b) Lorries only. (c) For this, and subsequent years, includes Lorries, Vans, Utilities and Buses. (d) Not available.
NOTE: Motor Vehicles includes Commonwealth-owned Vehicles other than those of Defence Services.

TRANSPORT—Number of Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic Accidents

Year	Motor Vehicles		Accidents Involving Casualties					
	Number on Register (a)	Number of Persons per Vehicle Registered	Accidents		Number of Persons			
			Number	Per 10,000 Vehicles Registered	Killed		Injured	
					Number	Per 10,000 Vehicles Registered	Number	Per 10,000 Vehicles Registered
1948-49	38,853	6.9	808	208	53	13.6	952	245
1949-50	43,160	6.4	969	225	64	14.8	1,154	267
1950-51	49,173	5.8	1,013	206	57	11.6	1,212	247
1951-52	55,104	5.4	1,027	186	87	15.8	1,215	220
1952-53	60,545	5.0	1,028	170	56	9.2	1,246	206
1953-54	65,362	4.7	982	150	67	10.3	1,156	177
1954-55	71,076	4.4	864	122	57	8.0	1,111	156
1955-56	76,151	4.2	874	115	72	9.5	1,046	137

(a) At end of period; includes commercial vehicles, cars and motor-cycles but excludes Defence Service vehicles.

TRANSPORT—Regular Air Services, 1947-48 to 1954-55
(Source: Department of Civil Aviation)

Year	Route Miles at 30th June	Hours Flown	Miles Flown	Revenue Passengers Carried	Freight Carried		Mail Carried	
					Tons (a)	Ton Miles (a)	Tons (a)	Ton Miles (a)
			'000			'000		'000
1947-48 ..	1,379	30,107	4,542	162,051	9,718	3,117	290	101
1948-49 ..	1,595	29,737	4,666	196,591	12,014	3,773	522	172
1949-50 ..	1,846	29,821	4,792	202,977	15,469	4,968	651	215
1950-51 ..	2,105	36,012	5,732	225,522	20,413	6,422	1,055	323
1951-52 ..	2,876	37,844	5,861	245,819	22,108	7,022	1,038	330
1952-53 ..	2,891	33,999	5,469	229,338	19,535	6,225	681	229
1953-54 ..	2,930	37,318	5,874	239,902	21,893	7,136	514	181
1954-55 ..	3,181	38,558	6,232	250,635	27,233	9,050	405	141

(a) " Short " ton (2,000 lb.) used throughout.

COMMUNICATION—Mail and Postal Services

Year	Mail Posted in Tasmania or Received from Overseas				Money Orders				Postal Notes			
					Issued		Paid		Issued		Paid	
	Letters and Post- cards	News- papers and Packets	Parcels	Regis- tered Articles	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	£'000	'000	£'000	'000	£'000	'000	£'000
1929-30 ..	39,956	7,128	198	307	124	552	106	477	452	157	2,730	1,049
1930-31 ..	29,545	5,737	182	251	111	485	98	423	437	151	2,303	776
1931-32 ..	26,440	5,516	132	250	97	426	93	402	441	148	1,654	543
1932-33 ..	31,242	5,575	129	236	98	453	90	425	467	153	1,813	567
1933-34 ..	34,055	5,459	125	237	98	465	91	434	485	159	2,459	725
1934-35 ..	35,746	5,405	121	253	103	503	97	479	520	170	2,998	880
1935-36 ..	40,109	6,606	140	270	113	576	111	557	545	189	3,306	1,035
1936-37 ..	41,791	6,794	124	284	116	614	107	572	545	197	3,165	973
1937-38 ..	39,992	6,497	137	291	118	648	111	605	578	206	3,466	1,059
1938-39 ..	37,480	6,122	136	302	125	682	120	655	595	212	3,687	1,110
1939-40 ..	33,874	5,525	132	314	126	686	113	639	582	209	3,236	985
1940-41 ..	33,341	5,123	170	352	129	758	107	682	555	204	2,895	867
1941-42 ..	34,112	5,216	212	393	136	802	114	724	559	206	2,661	827
1942-43 ..	33,035	4,820	263	464	135	890	121	836	532	197	2,691	861
1943-44 ..	36,124	5,051	343	551	128	964	115	916	521	191	3,432	1,105
1944-45 ..	37,804	5,885	350	621	131	981	115	892	557	201	3,966	1,261
1945-46 ..	39,562	5,566	343	605	140	1,065	119	953	576	206	4,334	1,373
1946-47 ..	46,244	6,320	373	659	142	1,065	127	958	646	236	5,224	1,635
1947-48 ..	43,713	7,222	383	728	152	1,098	136	1,004	670	246	5,930	1,815
1948-49 ..	45,589	7,437	374	720	161	1,099	141	995	658	247	6,349	1,958
1949-50 ..	50,038	8,440	368	674	167	1,214	151	1,109	670	257	6,967	2,135
1950-51 ..	52,305	8,526	372	677	186	1,414	165	1,286	642	259	7,664	2,456
1951-52 ..	53,888	9,045	306	646	187	1,607	168	1,471	564	233	7,818	2,580
1952-53 ..	57,533	9,005	282	646	203	1,855	180	1,674	547	229	8,271	2,718
1953-54 ..	57,787	9,450	256	655	215	1,903	191	1,731	541	223	7,965	2,648
1954-55 ..	42,999	9,107	268	625	218	1,870	199	1,669	522	216	1,740	806

COMMUNICATION—Postal Services and Wireless

Year	Telegrams		Telephones				Wireless			
	Despatched to and Received from other Countries	Despatched to Places within Australia	Telephone Exchanges	Telephone Services Connected at End of Period		Local Calls	Trunk Calls	Transmitters		Broadcast Receiver Licences
				Lines	Instru- ments			For Entertain- ment	Other	
	'000	'000	No.	'000	'000	'000	'000	No.	No.	No.
1929-30	19	455	360	12	15	—	1,524	3	—	6,032
1930-31	19	369	355	12	14	—	1,294	4	—	8,232
1931-32	17	346	348	11	14	—	1,218	4	—	9,540
1932-33	18	354	352	11	14	—	1,197	4	—	12,563
1933-34	19	367	344	12	14	—	1,242	4	—	16,547
1934-35	18	387	342	12	15	(a) 8,696	1,314	4	—	20,088
1935-36	20	418	345	12	15	9,359	1,471	6	—	24,118
1936-37	20	402	354	13	16	10,064	1,573	8	—	29,780
1937-38	19	425	355	13	17	10,958	1,727	11	—	36,013
1938-39	20	450	358	14	18	11,750	1,770	11	—	39,392
1939-40	16	471	357	15	19	12,860	1,930	11	—	42,182
1940-41	28	507	358	15	20	12,903	1,950	11	—	44,716
1941-42	36	550	356	15	20	13,866	2,055	11	—	46,404
1942-43	35	649	355	16	21	13,698	2,258	11	—	47,883
1943-44	27	736	349	16	21	14,254	2,437	11	—	48,016
1944-45	30	826	354	17	22	15,013	2,573	11	—	47,930
1945-46	20	951	357	18	23	16,217	2,745	11	—	49,200
1946-47	20	952	362	19	25	18,104	2,806	11	(a) 38	57,577
1947-48	24	954	362	20	26	19,400	3,065	11	45	57,568
1948-49	29	960	368	21	28	20,592	3,183	11	91	61,212
1949-50	36	952	370	23	31	19,555	3,287	11	100	64,369
1950-51	41	920	381	25	34	19,549	3,412	11	118	68,149
1951-52	41	759	393	27	37	20,961	3,460	11	161	68,832
1952-53	38	697	387	29	39	21,587	3,593	11	200	70,741
1953-54	40	662	388	31	42	22,811	3,921	11	252	71,047
1954-55	41	648	390	33	46	24,050	4,284	11	307	71,602

(a) Not available for previous years on a comparable basis.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF TASMANIA

NUMBER OF RETAIL ESTABLISHMENTS; VALUE OF RETAIL SALES OF GOODS CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO MAIN TYPE OF BUSINESS IN STATISTICAL DIVISIONS: 1952-53 (CENSUS)

Main Type of Business	STATISTICAL DIVISION									
	(i) Hobart and Suburbs		(ii) Launceston and Suburbs		(iii) North Western		(iv) North Eastern		(v) North Midland	
	No. (a)	Sales (b)	No. (a)	Sales (b)	No. (a)	Sales (b)	No. (a)	Sales (b)	No. (a)	Sales (b)
Grocers	312	£'000 3,518	167	£'000 1,778	208	£'000 3,161	98	£'000 1,089	40	£'000 333
Butchers.. .. .	73	1,711	42	999	55	905	20	189	11	82
Fruiterers	47	596	23	195	27	191	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)
Bakers	48	714	30	352	36	315	14	62	8	50
Confectioners, Milk Bars ..	46	348	36	217	59	383	19	79	(e)	(e)
Other Food Stores	21	216	18	126	15	64	(e)	(e)	—	—
Hotels, Wine and Spirit Merchants.. .. .	83	1,985	43	1,054	42	901	38	379	15	152
Clothiers, Drapers	99	6,257	82	3,229	83	2,618	15	357	(e)	(e)
Footwear Stores	18	589	12	338	15	247	(e)	(e)	—	—
Hardware Stores (c)	24	1,047	18	878	16	471	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)
Electrical and Radio Stores ..	39	698	21	591	41	412	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)
Furniture and Floor Coverings Stores	26	867	17	511	18	488	(e)	(e)	—	—
Newsagents, Booksellers ..	29	645	16	281	19	249	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)
Chemists.. .. .	32	426	22	292	18	242	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)
Other Stores	158	1,650	99	1,110	69	1,081	17	159	(e)	(e)
Total (d)	1,055	21,267	646	11,951	721	11,728	250	2,512	93	743
Motor Vehicle Dealers, Garages, Service Stations	76	5,921	63	3,929	97	3,020	32	208	18	117

Main Type of Business	(vi) Midland		(vii) South Eastern		(viii) Southern		(ix) Western		(x) Total	
	No. (a)	Sales (b)	No. (a)	Sales (b)	No. (a)	Sales (b)	No. (a)	Sales (b)	No. (a)	Sales (b)
		£'000		£'000		£'000		£'000		£'000
Grocers	43	872	50	518	100	1,309	24	789	1,042	13,367
Butchers.. .. .	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)	22	308	10	207	247	4,562
Fruiterers	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)	112	1,115
Bakers	(e)	(e)	7	34	10	77	(e)	(e)	163	1,667
Confectioners, Milk Bars ..	12	109	(e)	(e)	14	59	8	72	203	1,293
Other Food Stores	—	—	—	—	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)	61	418
Hotels, Wine and Spirit Merchants.. .. .	19	283	19	218	21	414	26	330	306	5,716
Clothiers, Drapers	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)	14	170	17	274	318	13,058
Footwear Stores	(e)	(e)	—	—	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)	55	1,235
Hardware Stores (c)	—	—	—	—	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)	67	2,466
Electrical and Radio Stores ..	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)	10	62	(e)	(e)	123	1,838
Furniture and Floor Coverings Stores	—	—	—	—	—	—	(e)	(e)	64	1,904
Newsagents, Booksellers ..	(e)	(e)	—	—	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)	77	1,300
Chemists.. .. .	(e)	(e)	—	—	7	56	(e)	(e)	90	1,115
Other Stores	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)	9	30	(e)	(e)	369	4,083
Total (d)	105	1,544	(e)	(e)	221	2,620	(e)	(e)	3,297	55,137
Motor Vehicle Dealers, Garages, Service Stations	15	88	(e)	(e)	23	281	(e)	(e)	340	13,714

- (a) Excludes establishments with sales less than £500 in 1952-53.
- (b) Total value of all commodities sold by retail by establishments shown, not just main line.
- (c) Basic building materials are excluded from these sales.
- (d) Excludes sales of Motor Dealers, Garages, Service Stations, &c., which are shown separately.
- (e) Not available for publication.

VALUE OF RETAIL SALES IN TASMANIA: COMMODITY GROUPS
Unit: £'000

Year	Groceries	Butchers' Meat	Other Food (a)	Beer, Wine, Spirits	Clothing, Drapery, Piece Goods, Footwear	Hard-ware (b)	Elec-trical Goods	Furni-ture	Other Goods (c)	Total (Excl. Motor Vehicles, &c.)	Motor Vehicles, Parts, Petrol (d)
1947-48 (e)	4,560	4,550		(f)	6,310	(f)	(f)	(f)	(f)	25,310	3,830
1948-49 (e)	4,820	2,320	3,130	3,050	7,540	1,520	990	1,320	4,530	29,220	5,440
1949-50	5,370	2,580	3,420	3,500	8,480	1,400	1,170	2,440	5,700	34,060	7,460
1950-51	6,100	3,180	3,910	3,920	10,680	2,030	1,700	3,200	7,160	41,880	11,570
1951-52	7,730	4,010	5,150	4,900	12,300	3,080	2,270	2,620	9,340	51,400	13,680
1952-53 (e)	8,690	4,610	6,070	5,350	12,900	3,170	2,280	2,440	9,640	55,150	13,700
1953-54	9,250	5,190	6,580	5,480	13,320	3,270	2,690	2,540	10,520	58,840	17,180
1954-55	10,150	5,280	6,480	6,450	14,260	4,110	3,130	2,800	11,090	63,750	18,700
1955-56	11,370	5,530	7,610	6,870	14,800	4,520	3,620	3,060	11,920	69,300	18,610

- (a) Includes fresh fruit and vegetables, confectionery, soft drinks, ice cream, cakes, pastry, cooked provisions, fish, &c., but excludes some delivered milk and bread.
- (b) Excludes basic building materials (e.g., timber, roofing tiles, &c.).
- (c) Includes tobacco, cigarettes, &c., newspapers, books and stationery, chemists' goods, grain and produce, jewellery, office equipment, &c.
- (d) Excludes farm machinery and implements, earth moving equipment, &c.
- (e) Census figures.
- (f) Comparable commodity group dissections not available.

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RETAIL SALES: HIRE PURCHASE AGREEMENTS ENTERED INTO BY FINANCE COMPANIES—TASMANIA

NOTE: The following statistics relate to businesses which finance the sale of goods at retail but do not retail themselves. Except in the case of balances outstanding subsequent to December quarter, 1953, particulars of agreements originally made between retailers and customers and subsequently assigned to finance companies are not included.

Quarter Ended—	Number of New Agreements Made	Total Value of Goods (a) £'000	Amount Financed (b)		Average Proportion of Sale Financed Per cent.	Balances Outstanding at End of Each Period (c) £'000
			Total £'000	Average Per Agreement £		

MOTOR VEHICLES, TRACTORS, &c.

31st March, 1953	}	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	}
30th June, 1953						
30th September, 1953						
31st December, 1953						
31st March, 1954		2,359	1,569	826	350	
30th June, 1954		2,982	2,034	1,079	361	
30th September, 1954		2,987	2,024	1,109	371	
31st December, 1954		2,899	1,890	1,064	367	
31st March, 1955		3,066	1,981	1,104	360	
30th June, 1955		3,499	2,491	1,320	377	
30th September, 1955		3,706	2,373	1,394	376	
31st December, 1955		3,360	2,333	1,301	387	
31st March, 1956		2,964	1,931	1,113	375	
30th June, 1956		3,487	2,397	1,392	399	

INDUSTRIAL PLANT AND MACHINERY, &c.

31st March, 1953	}	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	}
30th June, 1953						
30th September, 1953						
31st December, 1953						
31st March, 1954		37	26	15	405	
30th June, 1954		54	21	13	240	
30th September, 1954		81	57	35	432	
31st December 1954		118	137	87	737	
31st March, 1955		104	120	78	750	
30th June, 1955		96	78	48	500	
30th September, 1955		89	52	30	337	
31st December, 1955		151	122	74	490	
31st March, 1956		100	54	32	320	
30th June, 1956		98	64	40	408	

HOUSEHOLD AND PERSONAL GOODS

31st March, 1953	3,157	270	205	65	76	}
30th June, 1953	2,992	187	139	46	74	
30th September, 1953	3,178	224	177	56	79	
31st December, 1953	3,693	298	234	63	79	
31st March, 1954	3,625	322	255	70	79	
30th June, 1954	3,599	288	214	59	74	
30th September, 1954	3,691	274	221	60	81	
31st December, 1954	5,406	445	356	66	80	
31st March, 1955	5,078	397	312	61	79	
30th June, 1955	4,809	346	269	56	78	
30th September, 1955	4,715	377	300	64	79	
31st December, 1955	6,160	558	442	71	79	
31st March, 1956	5,196	533	420	81	78	
30th June, 1956	5,483	406	321	58	79	

TOTAL ALL GOODS

31st March, 1953	4,722	1,363	764	162	56	(e) 2,916
30th June, 1953	5,018	1,526	813	162	53	(e) 3,108
30th September, 1953	5,545	1,744	1,034	186	59	(e) 3,426
31st December, 1953	6,225	1,924	1,085	173	56	(e) 3,865
31st March, 1954	6,021	1,917	1,096	182	57	4,232
30th June, 1954	6,635	2,343	1,306	197	56	4,772
30th September, 1954	6,759	2,355	1,365	202	58	5,274
31st December, 1954	8,423	2,472	1,507	179	61	5,918
31st March, 1955	8,248	2,498	1,494	181	59	6,434
30th June, 1955	8,404	2,915	1,637	194	56	7,012
30th September, 1955	8,510	2,802	1,724	203	61	7,460
31st December, 1955	9,671	3,013	1,817	188	60	7,951
31st March, 1956	8,260	2,518	1,565	189	62	8,033
30th June, 1956	9,068	2,867	1,753	193	61	8,165

(a) Value at net cash or list price (excluding hiring charges and insurance). (b) Excludes hiring charges and insurance. (c) Includes hiring charges and insurance. (d) Separate details not available. (e) Excludes balances outstanding on agreements originally financed by retailers but subsequently assigned to finance companies. These balances represented less than one per cent. of the total in March, 1954.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF TASMANIA

CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND—SURPLUSES AND DEFICITS 1891 to 1955-56

Year	Revenue			Expenditure	Budget Result (b)		Aggregate Deficits at End of Year (c)
	Before Adjustment	Special Grant Adjustment (a)	After Adjustment		Before Adjustment	After Adjustment	
	£	£	£		£	£	
1st January, 1891	—	—	—	—	—	—	279,639
31st December, 1891	944,617	—	944,617	913,356	+ 31,261	+ 31,261	248,378
1892 and 1893	1,487,876	—	1,487,876	1,748,487	—260,611	—260,611	508,989
1894 and 1895	1,458,766	—	1,458,766	1,538,751	— 79,985	— 79,985	588,974
1896 and 1897	1,642,996	—	1,642,996	1,535,270	+ 107,726	+ 107,726	481,248
31st December, 1898	908,223	—	908,223	830,168	+ 78,055	+ 78,055	403,193
31st December, 1899	943,970	—	943,970	871,453	+ 72,517	+ 72,517	330,676
31st December, 1900	1,054,980	—	1,054,980	923,731	+ 131,249	+ 131,249	199,427
31st December, 1901	826,163	—	826,163	870,442	— 44,279	— 44,279	243,706
31st December, 1902	734,663	—	734,663	850,684	—116,021	—116,021	359,727
31st December, 1903	857,667	—	857,667	879,356	— 21,689	— 21,689	381,416
30th June, 1904	426,139	—	426,139	421,037	+ 5,102	+ 5,102	376,314
1904-05	852,681	—	852,681	840,185	+ 12,496	+ 12,496	363,818
1905-06	900,658	—	900,658	853,147	+ 47,511	+ 47,511	316,307
1906-07	970,843	—	970,843	913,762	+ 57,081	+ 57,081	259,226
1907-08	1,005,273	—	1,005,273	929,985	+ 75,288	+ 75,288	183,938
1908-09	934,432	—	934,432	960,247	— 25,815	— 25,815	209,753
1909-10	1,008,932	—	1,008,932	997,321	+ 11,611	+ 11,611	198,142
1910-11	970,092	—	970,092	1,016,956	— 46,864	— 46,864	245,006
1911-12	1,084,663	—	1,084,663	1,064,725	+ 19,938	+ 19,938	225,068
1912-13 (d)	1,206,292	—	1,206,292	1,095,883	+ 110,409	+ 110,409	114,659
1913-14	1,238,086	—	1,238,086	1,235,013	+ 3,073	+ 3,073	111,586
1914-15	1,244,095	—	1,244,095	1,384,150	—140,055	—140,055	251,641
1915-16	1,376,493	—	1,376,493	1,340,711	+ 35,782	+ 35,782	215,859
1916-17	1,369,368	—	1,369,368	1,412,893	— 43,525	— 43,525	259,384
1917-18	1,503,047	—	1,503,047	1,459,748	+ 43,299	+ 43,299	216,085
1918-19	1,581,984	—	1,581,984	1,644,512	— 62,528	— 62,528	278,613
1919-20	1,815,031	—	1,815,031	1,828,301	— 13,270	— 13,270	291,883
1920-21	2,105,449	—	2,105,449	2,189,156	— 83,707	— 83,707	375,590
1921-22	2,181,395	—	2,181,395	2,302,077	—120,682	—120,682	496,272
1922-23	2,174,062	—	2,174,062	2,472,523	—298,461	—298,461	794,733
1923-24	2,447,677	—	2,447,677	2,658,382	—210,705	—210,705	1,005,438
1924-25	2,762,013	—	2,762,013	2,675,618	+ 86,395	+ 86,395	919,043
1925-26	2,726,482	—	2,726,482	2,698,262	+ 28,220	+ 28,220	890,823
1926-27	3,040,220	—	3,040,220	2,855,077	+ 185,143	+ 185,143	705,680
1927-28	2,962,687	—	2,962,687	2,867,605	+ 95,082	+ 95,082	610,598
1928-29	2,766,434	—	2,766,434	2,855,977	— 89,543	— 89,543	700,141
1929-30	2,689,413	—	2,689,413	2,715,133	— 25,720	— 25,720	725,861
1930-31	2,609,290	—	2,609,290	2,854,394	—245,104	—245,104	970,965
1931-32	2,385,495	—	2,385,495	2,657,109	—271,614	—271,614	1,242,579
1932-33	2,522,191	—	2,522,191	2,577,406	— 55,215	— 55,215	1,297,794
1933-34	2,698,214	—	2,698,214	2,746,099	— 47,885	— 47,885	1,345,679
1934-35	2,872,148	—	2,872,148	2,991,349	—119,201	—119,201	1,464,880
1935-36	3,117,602	—	3,117,602	3,247,288	—129,686	—129,686	1,594,566
1936-37	3,488,524	—	3,488,524	3,443,618	+ 44,906	+ 44,906	1,549,660
1937-38	3,639,755	—	3,639,755	3,632,903	+ 6,852	+ 6,852	1,542,808
1938-39	3,614,764	—	3,614,764	3,640,748	— 25,984	— 25,984	1,568,792
1939-40	3,055,310	—	3,055,310	3,052,909	+ 2,401	+ 2,401	1,566,391
1940-41	2,921,573	—	2,921,573	3,103,204	—181,631	—181,631	1,748,022
1941-42	3,358,707	—	3,358,707	3,357,122	+ 1,585	+ 1,585	1,746,437
1942-43	3,290,324	—	3,290,324	3,399,804	—109,480	—109,480	1,855,917
1943-44	3,498,740	—	3,498,740	3,468,545	+ 30,195	+ 30,195	1,825,722
1944-45	3,656,393	—	3,656,393	3,675,537	— 19,144	— 19,144	1,844,866
1945-46	3,933,412	—	3,933,412	4,033,894	—100,482	—100,482	1,945,348
1946-47	4,507,126	—	4,507,126	4,573,312	— 66,186	— 66,186	2,011,534
1947-48	4,815,974	+ 262,000	5,077,974	5,101,882	—285,908	— 23,908	2,035,442
1948-49	5,740,224	— 96,000	5,644,224	5,845,325	—105,101	—201,101	2,236,543
1949-50	6,814,982	+ 126,000	6,940,982	7,082,373	—267,391	—141,391	2,377,934
1950-51	7,915,437	—	7,915,437	8,161,829	—246,392	—246,392	2,624,326
1951-52	10,343,050	—150,000	10,193,050	10,745,221	—402,171	—552,171	3,176,497
1952-53	12,061,036	—600,000	11,461,036	11,762,795	+ 298,241	—301,759	3,478,256
1953-54	13,435,060	—184,000	13,251,060	13,419,860	+ 15,200	—168,800	3,647,056
1954-55	15,095,270	(e)	(e)	15,307,005	—211,735	(e)	3,858,791
1955-56	18,010,524	(e)	(e)	17,895,912	+ 114,612	(e)	(f) 3,744,179

(a) Since 1947-48, the Special Grant has been in two parts. One part is calculated to meet the financial needs of the current year. The other part is a positive or negative adjustment; positive if the grant made *two years earlier* proved less than the amount of financial assistance deemed justified by the Grants Commission for that year; negative if proved more.

Thus, the Grant on account of 1953-54 was £1,650,000. The Adjustment made in 1955-56 on account of 1953-54 was *minus* £184,000, resulting in a *final* Special Grant of £1,466,000 when both parts are taken into account.

(b) Surpluses indicated by plus sign; deficits by minus sign.

(c) Calculated on *adjusted* surpluses and deficits except for 1954-55 and 1955-56.

(d) System of annual Special Grants (Commonwealth) introduced in this year.

(e) Not yet available.

(f) Of this sum, £3,647,056 has been funded while the balance, £97,123, is carried forward in the Accumulated Revenue Account to 1956-57.

AGGREGATE LOAN EXPENDITURE AND PUBLIC DEBT, 1890 to 1955-56

At end of Year	AGGREGATE LOAN EXPENDITURE							PUBLIC DEBT		
	Purpose						Total	Add Unexpended Balance (a)	Deduct Redemptions from Sinking Funds (Aggregate)	Total
	Railways and Transport	Hydro- Electric Works	Roads, Bridges, Harbours	School Buildings	Housing Advances and Construc- tion	Other				
	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
1890 ..	3,254	—	1,677	119	—	1,141	6,191	342	100	6,433
1900 ..	3,910	—	2,676	167	—	1,493	8,246	473	208	8,511
1910-11 ..	4,433	—	3,629	244	—	2,517	10,823	633	378	11,078
1918-19 ..	5,506	776	4,960	358	—	4,027	15,627	623	969	15,281
1919-20 ..	5,597	1,064	5,058	386	6	4,892	17,003	670	1,043	16,630
1920-21 ..	5,851	1,997	5,195	424	103	6,151	19,721	142	1,087	18,776
1921-22 ..	6,342	2,809	5,328	468	120	6,751	21,818	1,388	1,261	21,945
1922-23 ..	6,596	3,036	5,427	478	162	7,276	22,975	747	1,283	22,439
1923-24 ..	6,847	3,177	5,521	491	185	7,466	23,687	1,442	1,396	23,733
1924-25 ..	6,875	3,256	5,696	514	197	7,391	23,929	1,499	1,534	23,894
1925-26 ..	6,893	3,415	5,904	548	217	7,492	24,469	1,332	1,585	24,216
1926-27 ..	6,922	3,544	6,129	574	217	7,413	24,799	1,072	1,568	24,303
1927-28 ..	6,970	3,624	6,361	597	217	7,644	25,413	1,013	1,553	24,873
1928-29 ..	6,959	3,681	6,431	632	211	7,848	25,762	683	3,121	23,324
1929-30 ..	6,888	3,759	6,685	654	208	7,676	25,870	747	3,696	22,921
1930-31 ..	6,933	3,846	6,770	656	206	8,284	26,695	484	3,790	23,389
1931-32 ..	6,918	3,841	6,779	656	200	8,398	26,792	778	3,911	23,659
1932-33 ..	6,911	3,712	6,835	656	192	8,412	26,718	936	3,946	23,708
1933-34 ..	6,911	3,744	6,882	669	175	8,456	26,837	1,049	4,119	23,767
1934-35 ..	6,950	3,958	6,818	694	179	8,575	27,174	879	4,218	23,835
1935-36 ..	6,998	4,758	6,887	722	178	8,131	27,674	521	3,777	24,418
1936-37 ..	7,080	5,284	6,960	776	193	8,196	28,489	658	3,900	25,247
1937-38 ..	7,162	5,676	7,006	830	238	8,427	29,339	636	4,135	25,840
1938-39 ..	7,196	5,754	7,091	891	308	8,838	30,078	605	4,317	26,366
1939-40 ..	7,226	6,081	7,168	952	366	9,189	30,982	740	4,478	27,244
1940-41 ..	7,260	6,509	7,206	993	451	9,696	32,115	809	4,758	28,166
1941-42 ..	7,300	7,021	7,247	1,015	539	9,708	32,830	793	4,866	28,757
1942-43 ..	7,403	7,464	7,266	1,037	572	9,589	33,331	522	5,154	28,699
1943-44 ..	7,664	7,783	7,297	1,071	545	10,646	35,006	485	5,408	30,083
1944-45 ..	7,807	8,022	7,326	1,112	579	11,063	35,909	62	5,630	30,341
1945-46 ..	7,897	8,371	7,490	1,181	780	10,985	36,704	886	5,876	31,714
1946-47 ..	8,095	8,799	7,512	1,262	1,205	11,194	38,067	1,123	6,274	32,916
1947-48 ..	8,402	10,018	7,793	1,362	1,631	12,125	41,331	375	6,568	35,138
1948-49 ..	8,812	11,806	7,885	1,569	2,210	13,535	45,817	473	6,923	39,367
1949-50 ..	9,138	14,979	7,978	1,806	(b) 559	14,672	49,132	883	7,294	42,721
1950-51 ..	10,479	20,224	8,107	2,347	4,973	16,734	62,864	1,882	7,713	57,033
1951-52 ..	12,093	27,260	8,798	2,986	7,565	19,311	78,013	1,833	8,194	71,652
1952-53 ..	13,465	35,583	9,259	3,602	8,231	20,942	91,082	1,846	8,800	84,128
1953-54 ..	13,768	43,722	10,025	4,439	10,059	22,840	104,853	2,558	9,721	97,690
1954-55 ..	14,003	51,048	11,095	5,728	12,480	25,188	119,542	859	10,596	109,805
1955-56 ..	14,158	58,686	11,858	6,826	14,495	(c) 27,043	133,066	779	11,622	122,223

- (a) Balance is difference between aggregate loans issued and aggregate loan expenditure.
(b) Expenditure under Commonwealth and State Housing Agreement eliminated from Public Debt.
(c) Other expenditure includes (in million £'s): Hospitals, £3.7; Public Buildings, £2.4; Other Public Works, £4.6; Forestry, £2.7; Loan Expenses, £2.0; Revenue Deficiency, £3.6; Water Supply, £1.9; Assistance to Industries, £2.4.

LOAN EXPENDITURE — GROSS AND NET , 1900 to 1955-56

Year	LOAN EXPENDITURE				Year	LOAN EXPENDITURE—continued			
	Gross	Net	Revenue Deficit Funded (a)	Net per Head		Gross	Net	Revenue Deficit Funded (a)	Net per Head
	£	£	£	£ s. d.		£	£	£	£ s. d.
1900 to 1904-05 ..	(b) 271,572	(b) 236,456	—	(b) 1 6 9	1936-37 ..	1,997,930	841,951	—	3 12 4
1905-06 to 1909-10 ..	(b) 285,383	(b) 259,354	—	(b) 1 7 10	1937-38 ..	1,892,279	850,305	—	3 12 2
1910-11 to 1914-15 ..	(b) 573,455	(b) 519,583	—	(b) 2 14 0	1938-39 ..	1,849,647	739,627	—	3 2 3
1915-16 to 1919-20 ..	(b)1,001,805	(b) 774,749	—	(b) 3 18 5	1939-40 ..	1,814,196	902,910	—	3 15 3
1920-21 ..	3,090,437	2,717,452	—	12 16 9	1940-41 ..	2,115,553	1,134,059	181,631	4 14 1
1921-22 ..	2,688,532	2,145,807	—	9 19 11	1941-42 ..	1,790,317	714,827	—	2 19 6
1922-23 ..	1,710,808	1,153,645	349,401	5 6 10	1942-43 ..	1,500,462	501,004	—	2 1 5
1923-24 ..	1,375,851	745,792	—	3 8 11	1943-44 ..	2,608,942	1,674,912	109,481	6 17 1
1924-25 ..	953,314	248,069	—	1 3 0	1944-45 ..	1,793,358	903,057	455,000	3 13 2
1925-26 ..	1,112,901	568,904	—	2 13 0	1945-46 ..	1,770,104	794,965	—	3 3 6
1926-27 ..	1,144,954	329,698	—	1 10 11	1946-47 ..	2,949,458	1,362,482	119,625	5 7 0
1927-28 ..	1,534,212	404,486	—	1 17 9	1947-48 ..	4,180,457	3,264,196	66,186	12 9 10
1928-29 ..	1,029,708	348,818	—	1 12 3	1948-49 ..	5,525,395	4,506,480	246,244	16 18 2
1929-30 ..	1,465,837	146,853	—	0 13 5	1949-50 ..	5,871,099	4,941,928	23,908	18 0 1
1930-31 ..	(c)1,460,502	(c)825,489	—	3 14 1	1950-51 ..	15,400,990	13,732,375	201,101	48 8 7
1931-32 ..	659,509	96,454	—	0 8 6	1951-52 ..	17,023,688	15,149,142	141,391	51 12 10
1932-33 ..	443,525	Cr. 73,551	—	Cr. 0 6 5	1952-53 ..	20,075,914	13,068,331	246,392	43 3 10
1933-34 ..	524,987	118,783	—	0 10 4	1953-54 ..	15,907,760	13,771,910	552,171	44 10 1
1934-35 ..	786,177	361,495	—	1 11 6	1954-55 ..	17,654,984	14,688,969	301,759	46 13 8
1935-36 ..	1,858,456	999,970	339,094	4 6 8	1955-56 ..	17,606,286	13,523,930	168,800	42 6 2

- (a) These amounts are included in both Gross and Net Loan Expenditure. The figures shown are a complete record of funded deficits with the exception of £146,871 incurred before 1867.
(b) Annual average for the five-yearly period shown.
(c) Includes £616,352, the amount re-appropriated to provide for certain deferred Revenue charges.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF TASMANIA

PUBLIC FINANCE — PUBLIC DEBT OF TASMANIA, 1870 to 1955-56

Year (a)	REDEEMABLE			Total	Per Head of Population	NOMINAL INTEREST PAYABLE(b)	
	In London	In New York	In Australia			Amount	Rate per cent.
	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£	Per cent.
1870 ..	1,268,700	—	—	1,268,700	12 11 10	(c)	(c)
1875 ..	1,489,400	—	—	1,489,400	14 7 2	85,693	5.754
1880 ..	1,772,400	—	171,300	1,943,700	16 18 9	96,704	4.975
1885 ..	3,177,000	—	180,000	3,357,000	25 1 9	148,598	4.427
1890 ..	6,028,950	—	403,850	6,432,800	44 5 6	223,652	3.478
1895 ..	7,782,770	—	398,154	8,180,924	52 11 11	329,379	4.026
1900 ..	7,690,000	—	821,005	8,511,005	49 4 1	320,151	3.762
1904-05 ..	7,924,650	—	1,547,321	9,471,971	53 4 5	346,266	3.670
1909-10 ..	8,230,050	—	2,340,403	10,570,453	56 11 4	386,234	3.650
1914-15 ..	8,844,250	—	4,288,796	13,133,046	66 1 7	493,861	3.760
1915-16 ..	8,844,250	—	5,064,663	13,908,913	70 7 9	529,158	3.804
1916-17 ..	9,476,250	—	5,195,390	14,671,640	74 19 8	575,009	3.919
1917-18 ..	9,637,250	—	5,500,105	15,137,355	76 8 5	601,038	3.971
1918-19 ..	9,911,250	—	5,370,031	15,281,281	75 6 1	615,606	4.028
1919-20 ..	9,611,250	—	7,018,788	16,630,038	79 4 2	691,817	4.160
1920-21 ..	9,611,340	100,000	9,064,966	18,776,306	88 4 3	834,319	4.443
1921-22 ..	11,611,250	122,123	10,212,038	21,945,411	100 9 6	1,057,680	4.819
1922-23 ..	11,711,250	144,015	10,583,911	22,439,176	102 9 11	1,086,092	4.840
1923-24 ..	12,761,250	144,015	10,827,420	23,732,685	108 6 8	1,162,239	4.897
1924-25 ..	12,761,250	—	11,133,166	23,894,416	111 13 2	1,171,180	4.901
1925-26 ..	13,361,147	—	10,854,442	24,215,589	114 4 9	1,191,303	4.920
1926-27 ..	13,361,250	—	10,941,818	24,303,068	115 1 0	1,192,688	4.908
1927-28 ..	13,703,099	238,364	10,931,322	24,872,785	116 4 6	1,198,703	4.875
1928-29 ..	13,643,029	236,309	9,445,292	23,324,630	107 14 7	1,114,724	4.779
1929-30 ..	13,142,275	236,309	9,542,627	22,921,211	104 3 10	1,100,260	4.800
1930-31 ..	13,633,275	236,309	9,519,495	23,389,079	104 8 3	1,109,241	4.743
1931-32 ..	13,620,237	235,282	9,804,069	23,659,588	104 10 2	993,475	4.199
1932-33 ..	13,620,237	234,624	9,853,671	23,708,532	104 3 4	983,468	4.148
1933-34 ..	13,563,537	233,556	9,970,175	23,767,268	104 4 1	910,299	3.830
1934-35 ..	13,511,037	232,430	10,091,887	23,835,354	104 1 9	899,149	3.772
1935-36 ..	13,503,237	231,361	10,683,558	24,418,156	106 2 4	922,377	3.777
1936-37 ..	13,488,237	229,779	11,529,524	25,247,540	108 5 3	949,993	3.763
1937-38 ..	13,408,987	228,741	12,203,079	25,840,807	110 0 10	971,704	3.760
1938-39 ..	13,362,987	227,796	12,776,207	26,366,990	111 1 1	990,142	3.755
1939-40 ..	13,360,487	227,796	13,655,609	27,243,892	113 8 2	1,022,105	3.752
1940-41 ..	13,352,087	227,796	14,585,975	28,165,858	117 10 0	1,049,639	3.727
1941-42 ..	13,352,087	227,796	15,177,505	28,757,388	119 7 2	1,048,616	3.646
1942-43 ..	13,246,816	227,796	15,224,505	28,699,117	118 6 2	1,044,917	3.641
1943-44 ..	8,755,687	227,796	21,100,319	30,083,802	122 9 8	1,032,668	3.433
1944-45 ..	8,755,687	227,796	21,357,872	30,341,355	122 0 7	1,031,863	3.401
1945-46 ..	8,313,870	227,796	23,172,435	31,714,101	125 16 11	1,051,614	3.316
1946-47 ..	8,313,870	227,796	24,374,042	32,915,708	12 0 9	1,084,392	3.294
1947-48 ..	8,312,469	237,337	26,588,014	35,137,820	134 0 4	1,145,232	3.259
1948-49 ..	7,115,870	235,693	32,015,927	39,367,490	147 8 1	1,274,564	3.238
1949-50 ..	7,092,900	232,610	35,395,469	42,720,979	154 6 9	1,370,179	3.207
1950-51 ..	7,044,200	230,144	49,758,731	57,033,075	199 5 4	1,765,722	3.096
1951-52 ..	7,029,200	227,679	64,394,908	71,651,787	241 16 1	2,112,527	2.948
1952-53 ..	7,027,000	224,596	76,876,656	84,128,252	276 12 10	2,638,754	3.137
1953-54 ..	7,004,300	223,158	90,463,392	97,690,850	316 8 1	3,268,883	3.346
1954-55 ..	6,991,800	220,076	102,593,074	109,804,950	348 18 9	4,007,987	3.650
1955-56 ..	6,991,800	313,573	114,918,072	122,223,443	382 7 4	4,574,635	3.743

(a) At end of period shown.
(b) Interest has been calculated on the " book " value of each individual loan outstanding at the end of the year shown and therefore differs slightly from interest actually paid.
(c) Not available.

NOTE: The figures given in the tables relating to public debt and interest represent the face or 'book' value of the debt without adjustment on account of currency changes since the loans were floated and the nominal amount of interest payable, taking no account of exchange.

Expenditure under Commonwealth and State Housing Agreement has been eliminated from Loan Expenditure and Public Debt since 1948-49.

MUNICIPAL FINANCE—1927–28 to 1955–56

(NOTE: This table covers the Corporations of Hobart and Launceston and 47 Municipal Councils)

Year	Value of Rateable Property			Ordinary Services and Business Undertakings		Municipal Loans			
	Unimproved Capital Value (a)	Total Capital Value (a)	Assessed Annual Value	Revenue (b)	Expenditure (b)	Receipts	Expenditure	Total Debt	Annual Interest Liability
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1927–28 ..	22,867,190	50,107,953	2,721,147	989,771	945,428	254,085	372,791	3,198,684	(c)
1928–29 ..	23,084,384	50,704,218	2,755,583	976,791	978,243	113,736	105,751	3,250,876	(c)
1929–30 ..	23,230,723	51,315,303	2,790,203	1,026,132	1,030,288	62,179	133,613	3,027,777	(c)
1930–31 ..	23,306,805	51,911,386	2,788,462	932,028	941,682	108,697	84,432	3,088,456	179,341
1931–32 ..	22,862,299	51,534,160	2,731,155	850,641	848,459	119,359	57,758	3,166,256	169,876
1932–33 ..	22,317,064	50,886,875	2,686,843	859,805	839,649	115,471	94,490	3,167,688	165,935
1933–34 ..	22,098,932	50,807,071	2,662,521	863,901	855,501	95,619	67,252	3,174,098	161,122
1934–35 ..	22,006,571	50,975,275	2,669,729	896,991	902,421	76,815	59,092	3,106,444	138,976
1935–36 ..	21,836,281	50,931,645	2,685,530	928,298	919,727	46,790	54,133	3,071,744	136,649
1936–37 ..	21,937,958	51,395,384	2,722,436	964,863	948,052	165,342	126,469	3,114,217	169,012
1937–38 ..	22,750,888	52,982,056	2,804,856	996,980	1,003,243	216,897	224,193	3,213,832	142,819
1938–39 ..	22,871,465	53,779,779	2,919,179	1,032,421	1,020,642	205,470	272,756	3,338,141	148,152
1939–40 ..	23,080,123	54,909,580	3,048,632	1,086,844	1,095,959	105,853	115,119	3,356,248	150,104
1940–41 ..	23,152,921	55,990,994	3,214,499	1,090,820	1,069,112	112,936	114,861	3,390,055	148,064
1941–42 ..	23,459,645	57,923,855	3,276,466	1,136,795	1,100,799	93,539	107,336	3,392,259	144,495
1942–43 ..	23,435,879	58,461,244	3,343,917	1,190,033	1,143,208	108,205	127,064	3,409,999	(c)
1943–44 ..	23,457,632	58,966,752	3,380,190	1,212,652	1,184,912	124,525	97,083	3,365,934	(c)
1944–45 ..	23,507,345	59,402,061	3,390,805	1,147,618	1,109,685	87,049	113,955	2,936,977	(c)
1945–46 ..	23,630,726	60,030,222	3,466,110	1,201,274	1,215,814	237,916	69,119	2,651,463	(c)
1946–47 ..	23,858,086	61,045,871	3,566,560	1,302,146	1,356,964	283,271	203,371	2,763,233	105,161
1947–48 ..	24,123,097	62,233,772	3,804,032	1,430,230	1,515,629	189,600	174,710	2,817,899	109,567
1948–49 ..	24,649,027	64,478,175	4,180,512	1,646,883	1,647,573	412,576	385,996	3,088,202	113,886
1949–50 ..	25,363,085	67,349,262	4,511,389	1,846,868	1,847,848	699,980	711,736	3,609,257	133,638
1950–51 ..	27,929,905	77,677,001	5,120,970	2,141,687	2,163,453	929,920	797,050	4,266,942	151,871
1951–52 ..	31,712,660	93,828,386	5,712,710	2,678,680	2,675,405	1,277,065	1,279,104	5,226,440	186,153
1952–53 ..	34,966,254	112,456,107	6,435,503	3,012,177	3,023,793	1,092,060	1,082,765	5,949,809	221,840
1953–54 ..	37,156,166	126,346,100	6,921,259	3,320,704	3,252,910	1,208,922	878,817	6,609,195	266,724
1954–55 ..	41,788,773	148,183,903	7,942,186	3,485,815	3,526,319	1,397,875	1,203,679	7,801,577	319,585
1955–56 ..	46,918,802	172,635,870	9,282,149	3,192,932	3,298,126	1,183,492	1,365,135	8,620,944	361,711

(a) State Government valuation. (b) Excluding loans. (c) Not available.

PRIVATE FINANCE—BANKING—TASMANIA

Year	Trading Banks					Savings Banks			
	Deposits (Weekly Averages)	Advances (Weekly Averages)	Ratio of Advances to Deposits	Bank Debits to Customers' Accounts (Wk. Av.) (a)	Interest Rate on Fixed Deposits 24 months (b)	No. of Operative Accounts	On Deposit at End of Year		Interest Rate at 30th June (c)
	£'000	£'000	%	£'000	%	No.	£'000	£ s. d.	%
1935–36 ..	}	}	}	}	2.60	130,997	6,818	29 12 7	2.75
1936–37 ..					3.00	136,020	7,215	30 18 9	3.00
1937–38 ..					3.00	141,888	7,692	32 15 1	3.00
1938–39 ..					3.00	148,402	8,396	35 7 3	3.00
1939–40 ..					2.90	157,721	8,518	35 9 3	3.00
1940–41 ..					2.50	156,416	8,941	37 6 1	2.75
1941–42 ..					2.23	160,195	9,472	39 6 4	2.25
1942–43 ..					2.00	165,212	11,174	46 1 4	2.25
1943–44 ..					2.00	179,951	14,213	57 17 4	2.25
1944–45 ..					1.78	190,628	16,914	68 0 7	2.25
1945–46 ..	17,280	3,673	21.3	2,889	1.60	205,750	20,447	81 2 10	2.25
1946–47 ..	17,752	5,084	28.6	3,374	1.50	211,834	20,856	81 2 7	2.25
1947–48 ..	18,680	7,477	40.0	3,947	1.50	219,379	21,572	82 11 9	2.25
1948–49 ..	19,810	10,042	50.7	4,699	1.50	229,358	22,413	83 19 6	2.25
1949–50 ..	22,057	11,417	51.8	5,605	1.50	239,994	24,272	87 19 6	2.25
1950–51 ..	26,722	13,318	49.8	7,370	1.50	252,269	27,155	94 17 8	2.25
1951–52 ..	30,737	16,689	54.3	8,856	1.50	262,079	30,119	101 13 0	2.25
1952–53 ..	29,135	16,720	57.4	8,850	1.73	269,235	32,078	105 9 10	2.50
1953–54 ..	31,143	18,900	60.7	9,938	1.75	276,685	33,947	109 19 0	2.50
1954–55 ..	32,913	21,835	66.3	10,716	1.87	279,027	35,809	113 15 11	2.75
1955–56 ..	34,281	22,291	65.0	11,621	2.33	285,432	37,211	116 8 3	3.00

(a) Excludes debits to Australian Government accounts at city branches.
(b) Average rate for year.
(c) Trustee Savings Banks (Hobart and Launceston) rates. Interest is not payable on amounts in excess of £300 (£450 from April, 1951).

PRIVATE FINANCE—LIFE ASSURANCE—TASMANIA

Year Ended 31st Dec.	New Policies Issued (a)					Policies in Force at End of Period (a)					Premium Receipts (a)			New Loans Granted (b)
	Ordinary Department		Industrial Department		Total Sum Assured	Ordinary Department		Industrial Department		Total Sum Assured	Ordinary	Indus- trial Depart- ment	Total Ordinary and Indust'l Depts.	
	No.	Sum Assured	No.	Sum Ass'd		No.	Sum Assured	No.	Sum Ass'd					
	'000	£'000	'000	£'000	£'000	'000	£'000	'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
1939	}	Not Available			}	42.8	12,938	50.6	2,477	15,415	}	Not Available		}
1940		43.4	13,377	52.8		2,586	15,963							
1941		44.2	13,870	56.6		2,769	16,639							
1942		44.7	14,091	60.0		2,963	17,054							
1943	2.8	934	8.0	430	1,364	46.0	14,676	63.6	3,196	17,872	438	173	611	}
1944	3.3	1,136	7.3	421	1,557	46.0	14,676	63.6	3,196	17,872	460	185	645	
1945	4.3	1,901	7.8	497	2,398	48.4	16,028	67.9	3,512	19,540	506	202	708	
1946	5.0	2,291	8.6	577	2,868	51.3	17,658	72.5	3,860	21,518	566	220	786	
1947	7.4	3,422	11.4	797	4,219	55.9	19,953	79.3	4,368	24,321	649	245	894	}
1948	7.2	3,605	8.1	699	4,304	60.1	22,517	82.6	4,752	27,269	733	260	993	
1949	6.9	3,709	8.3	793	4,502	63.6	24,967	86.2	5,176	30,143	811	276	1,087	
1950	8.2	5,029	7.3	741	5,770	68.4	28,522	88.6	5,525	34,047	933	289	1,222	
1951	9.5	5,650	7.3	776	6,426	73.8	32,322	91.1	5,889	38,211	1,061	302	1,363	359
1952	10.2	7,981	7.9	889	8,870	79.7	38,218	94.8	6,392	44,610	1,263	321	1,584	391
1953	10.1	8,563	7.5	937	9,500	85.8	44,631	97.5	6,872	51,503	1,484	339	1,823	873
1954	11.0	9,960	6.4	929	10,889	92.0	51,513	98.4	7,277	58,790	1,710	354	2,064	858
1954	11.2	11,136	6.3	947	12,083	97.5	58,967	98.8	7,651	66,618	1,953	368	2,321	731
														1,176

(a) Excluding Annuity Policies. (b) Exclusive of advances of Premiums.

PRIVATE FINANCE—Insurance (other than life): Income, 1938–39 to 1954–55

Year	GROSS PREMIUMS PAID IN RESPECT OF—									Total Gross Premiums
	Fire	House- holders' Compre- hensive	Loss of Profits	Marine (a)	Motor Vehicles and Cycles	Employers' Liability and Workers' Compensation(b)	Personal Accident	Compulsory Third Party	Other	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
1938-39	201,612	2,231	2,730	28,306	(c)	71,993	13,332	(c)	(d)	457,109
1939-40	202,219	3,225	3,287	33,332	(c)	77,093	13,542	(c)	(d)	470,135
1940-41	212,408	4,342	4,911	41,188	(c)	86,985	13,547	(c)	(d)	489,185
1941-42	211,813	4,780	5,050	60,373	60,469	89,361	(c)	31,150	(d)	493,599
1942-43	209,946	4,795	6,176	59,646	51,531	93,970	(c)	31,707	(d)	487,407
1943-44	212,318	5,175	6,474	40,143	57,527	100,096	(c)	35,435	(d)	487,364
1944-45	221,703	5,860	7,415	49,833	55,699	113,893	(c)	34,390	(d)	523,060
1945-46	224,065	7,360	6,836	50,656	61,957	118,637	(c)	36,810	(d)	545,610
1946-47	251,777	10,543	8,756	62,114	79,907	154,619	(c)	39,655	(d)	652,656
1947-48	286,615	12,981	12,546	80,362	118,852	229,705	(c)	43,127	(d)	837,851
1948-49	348,392	16,931	16,250	96,944	164,879	247,861	23,651	47,536	36,922	999,366
1949-50	390,806	23,419	17,421	96,241	216,151	268,418	25,226	55,853	63,121	1,156,656
1950-51	467,178	33,441	24,865	134,844	285,193	301,137	35,284	59,848	72,846	1,414,636
1951-52	594,615	45,397	41,243	175,928	454,311	365,011	43,166	69,856	88,176	1,877,703
1952-53	714,471	59,277	53,342	192,614	585,253	388,884	47,808	77,674	93,823	2,213,146
1953-54	748,883	68,363	50,692	215,837	772,579	429,586	54,967	91,643	114,915	2,547,465
1954-55	837,207	80,401	63,327	259,803	801,693	476,663	66,688	101,460	126,243	2,813,485

(a) From 27th July, 1942 to 31st December, 1946, the War Risks portion of Marine Insurance was taken over by the Commonwealth Marine War Risks Insurance. Figures for that portion of Marine Insurance are excluded.
(b) Excludes Seamen's Compensation; this is included in total. (c) Not available; included in total.
(d) Not available on comparable basis; included in total.

PRIVATE FINANCE—Insurance (other than life): Expenditure, 1938–39 to 1954–55

Year	Net Claims	Other Expenditure				Total
		Contribution to Fire Brigades	Commission and Agents' Charges	Expenses of Management	Taxation	
		£	£	£	£	£
1938–39	204,315		174,831		13,181	392,327
1939–40	178,539		182,317		16,524	377,380
1940–41	197,675		184,835		18,761	401,271
1941–42	168,652	4,858	71,523	115,768	25,892	386,693
1942–43	188,778	5,360	68,622	111,750	50,015	424,525
1943–44	148,186	5,890	69,530	108,659	52,363	384,628
1944–45	178,392	5,947	73,291	120,728	57,342	435,700
1945–46	167,981	6,843	77,424	125,397	55,288	432,933
1946–47	219,519	8,756	93,031	148,185	46,430	515,921
1947–48	302,607	9,889	114,937	171,101	48,613	647,147
1948–49	375,232	10,992	139,510	189,486	59,943	775,163
1949–50	471,161	10,453	162,236	218,381	63,524	925,755
1950–51	785,931	15,979	201,909	267,013	75,141	1,345,973
1951–52	724,286	22,719	257,389	360,557	110,575	1,475,526
1952–53	953,252	27,008	319,296	446,743	128,643	1,874,942
1953–54	1,084,008	29,281	349,579	503,193	144,178	2,110,239
1954–55	1,371,559	32,127	393,675	546,677	143,887	2,487,925

EDUCATION—State Primary and Secondary Schools: 1828 to 1954

Year	PRIMARY, MODERN AND AREA SCHOOLS					HIGH AND TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOLS (a)				
	Number of Schools	Enrolment		Expenditure from Revenue		Number of Schools	Enrolment		Expenditure from Revenue	
		Aggregate	Daily Average Attendance	Total Amount	Per Scholar in Average Daily Attendance		Aggregate	Daily Average Attendance	Total Amount	Per Scholar In Average Daily Attendance
No.	No.	No.	£	£ s. d.	No.	No.	No.	£	£ s. d.	
1828 ..	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1835 ..	29	1,177	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1840 ..	25	1,046	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1850 ..	82	3,526	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1860 ..	89	6,664	3,077	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1870 ..	128	9,997	5,041	12,040	2 7 8	—	—	—	—	—
1880 ..	171	12,286	6,002	16,027	2 13 4	—	—	—	—	—
1885 ..	194	15,418	7,465	21,263	2 16 9	—	—	—	—	—
1890 ..	240	18,156	8,898	33,226	3 14 7	—	—	—	—	—
1895 ..	258	19,907	10,642	32,972	3 1 8	—	—	—	—	—
1900 ..	327	24,157	14,007	45,084	3 4 2	—	—	—	—	—
1901 ..	338	24,542	14,259	59,618	4 3 7	—	—	—	—	—
1902 ..	349	24,764	14,541	60,572	4 3 4	—	—	—	—	—
1903 ..	346	24,595	13,863	60,772	4 7 8	—	—	—	—	—
1904 ..	356	24,082	14,321	62,442	4 7 2	—	—	—	—	—
1905 ..	365	24,043	14,112	57,627	4 1 8	—	—	—	—	—
1906 ..	352	24,221	13,729	57,819	4 4 2	—	—	—	—	—
1907 ..	354	25,157	14,464	61,217	4 4 7	—	—	—	—	—
1908 ..	363	27,760	15,952	65,064	4 1 7	—	—	—	—	—
1909 ..	380	29,406	17,391	72,964	4 3 11	—	—	—	—	—
1910 ..	390	30,805	17,984	74,262	4 2 7	—	—	—	—	—
1911 ..	399	32,244	18,130	83,676	4 12 3	—	—	—	—	—
1912 ..	419	32,817	19,561	85,837	4 7 9	—	—	—	—	—
1913 ..	448	33,953	21,174	90,772	4 5 8	—	—	—	—	—
1914 ..	455	34,902	22,238	101,825	4 11 6	2	408	343	3,323	9 13 8
1915 ..	473	35,355	22,904	107,059	4 13 5	2	457	382	3,922	10 5 10
1916 ..	488	35,827	22,674	105,729	4 13 3	4	708	621	5,411	8 14 3
1917 ..	489	36,350	23,497	109,089	4 12 10	4	923	803	6,458	8 0 0
1918 ..	488	37,038	23,693	117,798	4 19 5	4	1,121	957	7,783	8 2 7
1919 ..	483	37,100	24,114	133,310	5 10 6	(a) 4	(a) 1,139	(a) 967	(a) 8,787	(a) 9 1 8
1920 ..	490	38,360	24,612	171,191	6 19 1	4	1,060	886	11,631	13 2 6
1921 ..	493	38,207	25,375	214,768	8 9 3	5	920	771	15,363	19 19 0
1922 ..	500	39,627	26,401	223,487	8 9 3	6	905	759	15,629	20 11 10
1923 ..	502	39,411	25,451	208,954	8 4 2	5	901	749	16,308	21 15 5
1924 ..	516	39,352	26,197	225,967	8 12 6	5	885	701	14,820	21 2 9
1925 ..	523	39,210	26,538	230,165	8 13 5	5	1,190	1,001	16,264	16 4 11
1926 ..	514	38,072	26,820	234,229	8 14 8	(a) 8	(a) 1,680	(a) 1,462	17,078	15 6 7
1927 ..	495	38,114	26,745	239,462	8 19 1	8	1,806	1,600	18,190	16 5 8
1928 ..	494	37,040	25,711	246,862	9 12 0	8	2,063	1,824	19,419	15 1 3
1929 ..	499	38,078	26,602	247,665	9 6 2	8	2,232	1,956	21,537	15 0 2
1930 ..	500	38,345	27,491	249,407	9 1 5	8	2,272	2,017	22,845	15 2 6
1931 ..	499	37,695	27,723	215,666	7 15 7	8	2,197	1,931	19,062	13 0 5
1932 ..	503	37,844	27,945	190,461	6 16 4	8	1,928	1,638	16,812	13 13 7
1933 ..	505	37,529	28,010	190,617	6 16 1	8	1,685	1,453	17,519	15 1 6
1934 ..	506	37,911	27,323	202,348	7 8 1	8	1,801	1,568	18,251	15 1 8
1935 ..	508	37,705	27,148	229,386	8 8 11	8	2,107	1,807	22,138	15 11 1
1936 ..	(b) 503	37,521	26,599	245,101	9 4 3	9	2,255	1,987	24,579	15 17 11
1937 ..	480	36,711	26,707	269,024	10 1 5	9	2,518	2,167	30,498	17 13 4
1938 ..	457	35,039	25,831	279,094	10 16 1	9	2,460	2,153	31,805	19 2 0
1939 ..	441	35,445	25,538	290,051	11 7 1	9	2,626	2,315	33,066	18 10 10
1940 ..	422	35,351	24,510	294,409	12 0 2	9	2,657	2,313	34,128	19 11 7
1941 ..	409	35,187	25,018	306,699	12 5 2	9	2,766	2,446	34,623	19 7 9
1942 ..	373	33,137	24,407	362,682	14 17 2	10	2,702	2,486	41,053	23 1 9
1943 ..	365	33,048	24,470	375,943	15 7 3	10	3,028	2,756	46,421	23 16 1
1944 ..	360	33,123	24,619	372,017	15 2 3	10	3,290	2,942	50,900	23 19 9
1945 ..	346	33,486	25,139	431,403	17 13 3	10	3,377	3,011	62,718	28 14 7
1946 (c)	334	34,074	25,668	502,619	19 11 8	10	3,313	2,948	78,246	35 15 6
1947 ..	325	36,648	27,424	580,070	21 3 0	10	3,403	3,059	(a) 140,358	(a) 45 19 7
1948 ..	318	38,208	28,175	697,791	24 15 3	10	3,886	3,465	164,096	47 7 1
1949 ..	304	39,473	29,838	822,696	27 11 3	10	4,083	3,627	185,510	51 3 1
1950 ..	322	42,152	31,936	974,555	30 10 3	10	4,242	3,785	207,352	54 15 4
1951 ..	314	44,918	33,309	1,108,458	33 5 4	10	4,532	4,054	277,578	68 9 2
1952 ..	313	47,709	36,423	1,430,975	39 5 5	10	4,709	4,264	363,540	85 5 1
1953 ..	314	50,854	39,391	1,574,979	39 19 3	11	4,915	4,496	423,986	94 6 0
1954 ..	305	53,374	41,491	(d)	(d)	11	6,047	5,438	(d)	(d)

(a) All details for Technical High Schools (first established in 1919) are excluded up to and including the year 1925. Number of Technical Schools and enrolment details only are included as from 1926; expenditure details as from 1947 (previous expenditure, on a comparable basis, was not available).

(b) First two Area Schools introduced at Sheffield and Hagley. There were 34 such schools in 1954.

(c) Proclamation of Act raising leaving age to 16 years, (previous leaving ages were 13 years, fixed in 1898 and 14 years, fixed in 1912). The development of Modern Grades dates from 1946 and has involved the addition of Secondary Grades to the curriculum of Primary and Area Schools.

(d) Not yet available.

NOTE: Area Schools have been developed in rural districts with the object of centralising and intensifying educational facilities and opportunities. This development, dependent on the transport of children from outlying areas, resulted in the closing of many one-teacher schools. This explains the reason for the decrease in the number of schools in association with the increase in the school population.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF TASMANIA

COMMONWEALTH PENSIONS—TASMANIA: 1909–10 to 1954–55

Year	Age Pensions		Invalid Pensions		Age and Invalid Pensions		War Pensions (d)	
	Number in Force	Amount	Number in Force	Amount	Annual Rate (a)	Operative from	Number in Force	Amount
		£		£	£ s.			£
1909–10 ..	3,245	79,363	—	—	26 0	1.7.1909	—	—
1910–11 ..	3,865	93,507	401	10,088	26 0	—	—	—
1911–12 ..	4,005	96,543	704	17,654	26 0	—	—	—
1912–13 ..	4,183	104,046	982	24,960	26 0	—	—	—
1913–14 ..	4,402	108,721	1,145	29,016	26 0	—	—	—
1914–15 ..	4,528	111,609	1,349	34,138	26 0	—	—	—
1915–16 ..	4,522	110,971	1,528	38,584	26 0	—	335	10,660
1916–17 ..	4,566	140,634	1,655	52,390	32 10	12.10.1916	1,914	72,072
1917–18 ..	4,730	145,551	1,806	56,992	32 10	—	4,453	151,034
1918–19 ..	4,823	148,260	1,862	58,526	32 10	—	7,783	237,900
1919–20 ..	4,806	182,182	1,947	72,710	39 0	1.1.1920	9,551	261,910
1920–21 ..	5,085	186,730	2,023	76,481	39 0	—	9,795	294,737
1921–22 ..	5,265	192,986	2,005	75,580	39 0	—	9,846	286,775
1922–23 ..	5,344	195,546	1,990	74,646	39 0	—	10,086	294,638
1923–24 ..	5,482	236,210	2,020	89,206	45 10	13.9.1923	10,424	284,232
1924–25 ..	5,856	251,472	2,036	90,194	45 10	—	10,779	295,034
1925–26 ..	6,428	316,394	2,130	107,926	52 0	8.10.1925	10,989	297,622
1926–27 ..	6,903	339,456	2,242	113,386	52 0	—	11,133	306,410
1927–28 ..	7,299	354,874	2,339	118,326	52 0	—	11,453	319,020
1928–29 ..	7,347	359,762	2,385	120,406	52 0	—	11,751	328,822
1929–30 ..	7,678	376,506	2,456	123,942	52 0	—	12,321	347,272
1930–31 ..	8,161	399,412	2,607	131,768	52 0	—	12,731	356,801
1931–32 ..	8,401	355,984	2,688	118,109	45 10	23.7.1931	12,603	339,738
1932–33 ..	8,030	324,454	2,715	114,530	45 10	—	12,526	320,586
1933–34 ..	8,229	356,512	2,883	127,608	45 10	—	12,455	335,304
1934–35 ..	8,495	368,342	2,975	131,612	45 10	—	12,523	361,967
1935–36 ..	8,801	394,654	3,070	139,854	45 10	—	12,456	371,568
1936–37 ..	9,053	428,818	3,195	153,686	45 10	—	12,182	387,511
1937–38 ..	9,346	465,764	3,367	170,092	52 0	9.9.1937	12,900	397,199
1938–39 ..	9,526	472,758	3,519	177,528	52 0	—	12,419	403,747
1939–40 ..	10,614	527,644	2,552	127,946	54 12	26.12.1940	11,729	404,154
1940–41 ..	10,692	569,530	2,591	139,854	55 18	3.4.1941	11,046	396,814
1941–42 ..	10,683	665,184	2,724	171,990	(b) 65 0	2.4.1942	10,586	393,406
1942–43 ..	10,322	678,236	2,649	177,190	(c) 68 18	1.4.1943	10,452	434,228
1943–44 ..	9,866	658,762	2,638	179,712	70 4	19.8.1943	10,855	523,675
1944–45 ..	9,512	635,284	2,699	184,184	70 4	—	12,081	551,350
1945–46 ..	9,663	779,766	2,833	233,974	84 10	5.7.1945	14,503	624,354
1946–47 ..	10,334	831,246	2,979	244,608	84 10	—	15,569	726,216
1947–48 ..	10,648	978,620	3,045	287,511	97 10	3.7.1947	16,371	782,474
1948–49 ..	10,952	1,133,040	3,164	337,349	110 10	21.10.1948	17,593	908,734
1949–50 ..	11,402	1,179,586	3,158	335,142	110 10	—	19,168	1,017,889
1950–51 ..	11,548	1,409,369	2,885	362,092	130 0	2.11.1950	21,407	1,297,490
1951–52 ..	11,716	1,728,682	2,762	415,713	156 0	1.11.1951	22,863	1,560,560
1952–53 ..	12,380	2,053,438	2,602	439,615	175 10	2.10.1952	23,966	1,714,609
1953–54 ..	12,906	2,178,911	2,605	454,083	182 0	29.10.1953	24,935	1,820,440
1954–55 ..	13,679	2,397,339	2,681	483,344	182 0	—	25,731	2,032,492

(a) Maximum rate payable; subject to Means Test.
(b) £61 2s. from 11/12/41. (c) £66 6s. from 1/10/42.
(d) In respect of World War I and World War II and the War in Korea. Pensions in respect of the Boer War are met by the United Kingdom.

COMMONWEALTH SOCIAL SERVICE BENEFITS—TASMANIA: 1912–13 to 1954–55

Year	Child Endowment Claims		Widows' Pensions		Unemployment Benefit		Sickness Benefit		Special Benefit (c)		Maternity Allowances
	In Force	Amount Paid	In Force	Amount Paid	Claims Admitted	Amount Paid	Claims Admitted	Amount Paid	Claims Admitted	Amount Paid	Claims Paid
	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.
1912–13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,611
1940–41	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,877
1941–42	18,129	457,336	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,620
1942–43	18,454	481,795	1,377	79,337	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,018
1943–44	18,780	502,212	1,530	108,459	—	—	—	—	—	—	(d) 5,804
1944–45	19,224	528,554	1,564	103,567	—	—	—	—	—	—	5,582
1945–46	19,830	756,400	1,595	113,647	313	3,827	1,825	23,459	242	809	5,796
1946–47	20,844	821,630	1,434	116,067	404	7,809	2,460	33,246	43	1,815	7,542
1947–48	21,700	820,310	1,457	136,819	185	2,904	2,851	38,326	102	2,611	7,074
1948–49	22,872	1,008,526	1,409	141,809	118	2,993	2,796	39,002	146	3,729	6,984
1949–50	24,286	1,241,430	1,384	156,809	151	2,010	2,840	36,928	126	4,249	7,408
1950–51 (a)	40,229 (a)	1,733,775	1,366	161,357	83	1,194	2,478	30,358	101	3,924	7,250
1951–52	42,424	1,818,862	1,358	188,021	172	1,036	1,936	24,278	86	3,687	7,626
1952–53	44,202	2,058,559	1,380	220,364	2,017 (b)	41,844	1,947 (b)	49,153	69	7,745	7,983
1953–54	45,246	1,988,637	1,371	230,289	1,330	42,588	1,880	54,718	76	11,503	7,726
1954–55	46,407	2,032,363	1,409	237,635	471	15,951	1,943	51,716	106	12,321	7,940

(a) 20th June, 1950, endowment extended to first child. (b) Rates payable were doubled as from 22nd September 1952.
(c) Includes payments to migrants. (d) 1st July, 1943, means test abolished. Allowance (for first child born) in 1912–13 was £5. Present allowance (from 1st July, 1947) varies between £15 and £17 10s. according to the number of other children under 16 years.